

Weather

Overcast and changeable weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 76.3 and the minimum 50.5, figures for the corresponding day last year being 58.5 and 51.3.

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FINANCIAL AND TRADE ARTICLE

BY DAVID ARAKIE
(Financial Editor)

RECORD NET PROFIT MADE BY CHUNG FOO UNION BANK

Prosperity Revealed In
Balance
Sheet

DEPOSITS GROW
Remarkable Increase
Shown In Period
Of 3 Years

Prosperity is writ large in the balance sheet of the Chung Foo Union Bank for the past year. Its net profits are the highest on record since its inception. The net profit for the past year is \$302,875.53 against \$155,041.41 in 1922, \$250,926.77 in 1921 and \$284,820.25 in 1920. The distribution to the shareholders is larger than in the previous year, amounting to 10 percent for the past year against 9 percent in 1922. In the year previous, the dividend and bonus paid totaled 12 percent, while in 1920 it only came up to 6 percent.

The Chung Foo Union Bank is a fine example of what a conservative Chinese modern-managed bank should be, its policy being based on Western banking practices. Established in 1916, it has forged ahead unimpeded, steadily increasing reserves and attracting larger deposits than ever. The figures for the past three years will serve our purpose. The deposits in 1921 aggregate \$4,360,566.20, in the following year these increased to \$5,408,120.78, while last year's total was \$5,661,441.02. When it is mentioned that the deposits in 1920 only reached \$3,195,693.69, it will be realized how remarkable the growth of this bank has been in recent years.

RESERVES GROW
In equal proportion has the reserve fund been increased. Standing at \$54,000 in 1920, it was augmented to \$124,000 in the following year. The reserves now stand at \$290,000. It will be seen that the Chung Foo Union Bank realizes the importance of strengthening the general reserve fund, and there is no doubt that in future years this fund will grow larger and larger.

The balance sheet of this bank recently issued is a model of simplicity, although some items, to a novice, would require explanation. The bank premises are put down in the accounts at \$348,797.03. These are owned by the Chafoo Real Estate Company, which bought same for \$1,000,000 last year. The directors of this estate company are the directors of the Chung Foo Union Bank and the shareholders are practically identical. Depreciation shown in the balance sheet against premises is the depreciation against the bank's premises in Peking, Tientsin and other branches. The Real Estate Company has not yet completed the purchase of the bank's building, and as this is expected to be accomplished this year, the next year's accounts will show a much smaller amount against bank premises. The small amount written off the bank premises (namely \$5,565.78) is easily explained by the facts set out above. Without this explanatory remark, the item would be puzzling, especially as the directors have provided \$28,961 as depreciation on furniture and fixtures.

Out of the total net profits for the past year of \$302,875.53 earned by this bank, nearly half (\$150,000) goes in the payment of a dividend, \$90,000 to the strengthening of the general reserve fund, \$58,000 for employees' bonus and funders' remuneration and \$4,875.53 carried forward to next year's accounts. There is nothing to find fault with, although it might be possible in future years to try and increase the reserve fund to a greater extent.

SOUND POLICY

The Chung Foo Union Bank was formed during the first years of modern Chinese banking, and it has always pursued a sound policy. The

RUSS CHIEFS ARE ANGERED BY BRITISH LOAN VIEWS

Reds Could Dispense
With Aid, Says
Trotzky

'SAVING RUSSIA'

No Such Question Is
Involved, He
Asserts

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, April 21.—M. Trotzky, in an interview, declared that Russia was a reliable debtor. She wanted to get money from England, but there was no question of "saving" Russia, which could dispense with such aid if necessary. "We want to establish better relations with capitalist countries, but why should they require us to cease being Communists when we don't demand that they cease to be bourgeois?" The Soviet would try to avoid hostilities with Rumania, he said, provided Bessarabia was given an opportunity for self-determination.

M. Zinovieff, in a speech, declared that if the demands of the British bankers represented England's minimum, there was nothing doing. Russia would make great concessions for a loan but not so as to be held in thrall.

ELEANORA DUSE, FAMED ACTRESS, VICTIM OF FLU

Noted Tragedienne Succumbs
While On Farewell
American Tour

(Reuter's Service)

Pittsburg, April 21.—The death is announced of Signora Eleonora Duse, the famous Italian tragedienne, owing to influenza, at the age of 62.

Signora Eleonora Duse, one of the greatest of modern tragediennes, was born at Venice in 1861 of a family which had long been connected with the stage. Both her father and grandfather had been well-known actors, and she therefore came by her talent for the stage naturally.

After a thorough training in Italy, Signora Duse made her first appearance in New York in 1893 and was received with instant acclaim. During the following season she repeated this success in London and was commanded to appear before Queen Victoria at Windsor Palace.

Her death comes while she was on a farewell tour through America.

1,000 Homeless In Fire In Philippines

(Exclusive China Press)

Manila, April 21.—A disastrous fire which broke out in the city of Cebu last night destroyed 200 houses and rendered 1,000 persons homeless. The monetary loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Appeals Court Upholds Last Lobingier Decision

Word was received from San Francisco yesterday by Attorney F. J. Schuhl of the firm of Schuhl and Schoenfeld that the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at San Francisco had upheld former Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China in the decision which he handed down in the suit brought by the Banque Belge pour l'Etranger against Montgomery Ward and Company. The decision of the Appeals Court has confirmed his judgment.

Schuhl and Schoenfeld represented the bank and Williams, Franklin and Faison appeared for Montgomery Ward and Company.

POINCARÉ TELLS FRENCH POSITION ON EXPERT PLAN

Invites Reparations Body To
Draft Plan To Carry
It Out

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 21.—M. Poincaré has communicated to the Reparations Commission the French Government's attitude with regard to the reports of the Committee of Experts. He says that the Government approve the plan fully as much as the other Allied Governments. He invites the Commission to formulate suggestions with regard to the carrying out of the plan. The Prime Minister expresses the view that a number of preliminary measures must be executed before the present pledges in the Ruhr can be exchanged for others. Such changes must be dependent on previous agreement amongst the Allies on sanctions in the event of default by Germany.

L. G. HUSAR SUES PACIFIC MAIL FOR G. \$50,000

Alleges Injuries Received On
President Lincoln

The case was commenced yesterday in which Mr. Leonard G. Husar is suing the Pacific Mail and the U. S. Shipping Board to recover Gold \$50,000 damages for personal injuries received while a passenger of the President Lincoln in February of last year before Judge Milton D. Purdy in the U. S. Court for China. Mr. J. F. Schuhl appeared for the plaintiff and Messrs. Stirling Fessenden and H. R. Snyder for the defence.

The pleadings alleged that while on a trip from San Francisco to Shanghai on the President Lincoln, Mr. Husar spent some portion of his time on one of the upper decks indulging in athletics. On one of the first few days out of San Francisco, Mr. Husar, Dr. Pedersen, the ship's doctor, and another passenger were playing medicine ball in the course of which the plaintiff threw the ball and hit an awning spreader which was dislodged, falling on plaintiff's head and inflicting a serious cut three inches in length.

It was claimed that the fact that the awning spreader was not properly fastened, was the negligence alleged against defendants, which led to the accident. The Pacific Mail denied that they had any responsibility in the matter, only acting as agents for the Shipping Board in order to procure for it business. The Shipping Board denied that there was any negligence.

THE EVIDENCE

Evidence was given by Mr. J. W. Schoenfeld, and Lt-Commander R. C. Giffen of the United States Navy, to the effect that the manner in which the awning spreaders were fastened on the President Lincoln was not, in their opinion, safe. The end of the spreaders resting on the string track, were not, according to these witnesses, adequately secured.

The plaintiff on the stand stated that he was playing medicine ball on the afternoon in question and while throwing it to Dr. Pedersen, threw it against one of the awning spreaders which fell and hit him on the forehead over the right eye inflicting a cut three inches long, and rendering him unconscious for a while afterwards. The beam

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MACDONALD IS ASSURED SUPPORT OF LABOR PARTY

Premier Is Speaker At
Conference At
York

JUSTIFIES RULE

Labor Government Is
Practical And
Good

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—Mr. Ramsay MacDonald attended the Independent Labor Party Conference at York today. The Prime Minister was given a rousing reception.

Replying to a resolution assuring him of the Party's hearty support, Mr. MacDonald said that the Labor Government was doing its best. He could not assure them that it would always do what they wanted. The Government had been justified in what it had done. It might have made mistakes and it might not have the true faith of the Empire, but the great thing it had got to do was to impress on public opinion, not only in Britain but throughout the world, that a Labor Government was a practical thing and a good thing.

The Cabinet was terribly overburdened, the Prime Minister continued, but he had received every assistance from the well-informed staff of the Foreign Office.

He did not know, he said, how long they would be in office and he did not care very much so long as they did good work. They were helping the world to a new frame of mind and getting people to see that the different point of view might be to their benefit. So long as they did that they were perfectly willing to continue.

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—The Independent Labor Party Conference at York today adopted a watered-down resolution on disarmament policy. The Commissioner of Works, Mr. F. W. Jowett, carried the meeting in pointing out that the Labor Government would go out of office if Britain alone declared in favor of disarmament.

ENGLISH COLONY TODAY OBSERVES ST. GEORGE'S DAY

Program Includes Church
Service, Memorial Cer-
emony And Ball

The English community of
Shanghai today will observe St.
George's Day.

This morning at 8:30 o'clock there will be a brief service at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Dean C. J. F. Symons, honorary Almoner of the Royal Society of St. George, officiating.

At 3 p.m. there will be a ceremony at the Shanghai War Memorial on The Bund, when a wreath will be placed on the Memorial by Mr. W. H. Tronchard Davis, president of the St. George's Society.

The day will be capped with the St. George's Ball at the New Carlton Cafe, where 1,000 or more guests will gather for this elaborate annual social event. Extensive preparations have been made for the ball this year and it is expected that it will be on a more colorful and lavish scale than heretofore.

Two Are Held For Queenstown Outrage

(Reuter's Service)

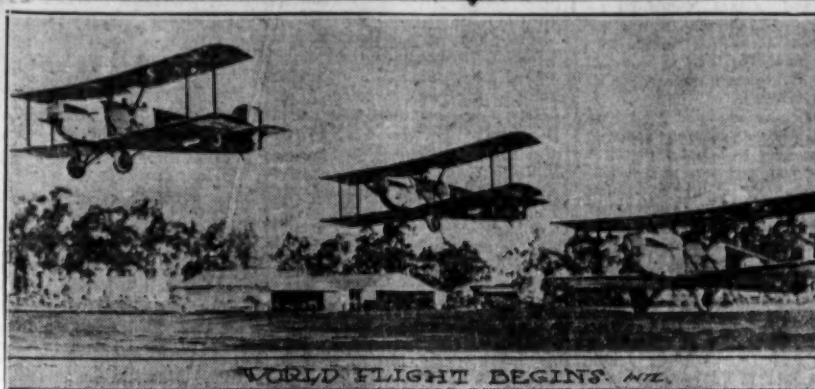
London, April 21.—Two men are detained in military custody at Cork charged with complicity in the recent Queenstown outrage, when four men in Free State officers' uniform fired with a machinegun on a crowd of British soldiers.

Charter Adopted By Turk Assembly

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, April 21.—The Turkish Assembly today passed the entire Constitution Charter and Budget. It will adjourn tomorrow for a six months' recess.

Take-Off In Great 'Round-The-World Flight



The above is a remarkable view of the take-off of the three U. S. Army air cruisers at Clover Field, Santa Monica, Cal., on the first leg of their epoch-making flight around the world. The fourth ship in the squadron joined these three at Seattle, where pontoons replaced landing wheels for the flight over Alaska and on toward Japan.

BANKERS VOTE TO UNDERWRITE NEW MINT LOAN

\$3,000,000 Issue To Finish
Institution Here Is
Planned

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 21.—The Bankers' Conference, which terminates tomorrow, has resolved to ask the Government to instruct the Customs to stop further transportation of inferior coins from places where they are minted. Several other preventive measures have also been passed, such as requesting banks not to buy bullion and not to sell the coins for guilty mints.

A decision was reached on Saturday that the Bankers' Association, co-operating with native bankers' guilds, should underwrite a further loan of \$3,000,000 for completion of the Shanghai Bankers' Conference series that the banking group taking up this loan would be given full power to manage everything in connection with the Mint, including appointment of the Director.

The Conference also passed a resolution to organize a Chinese National Bondholders' Association, consisting of representatives of bankers' associations, banking guilds, Chambers of Commerce and stock exchanges. The communiqué, however, does not state the purpose of this association. Chinese accounting terms having been standardized, the Conference suggests that they should be put into use beginning from next July.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 19.—Premier Sun Pao-chi this afternoon is entertaining the delegates attending the annual conference of Chinese Bankers.

Mr. Han Fu-shu has been appointed Tapan to carry out arrangements for the establishment of the Chinese Overseas Bank.

The Ministry of Education has appointed Mr. Shen Peng-nien Taiti President of the Government University of Fine Arts.

Kidnapping Gang In India Trapped

(Reuter's Service)

Peshawar, April 21.—Frontier constabulary have carried out an exceptionally successful operation at Draband against the Mahsud raiders, who recently kidnapped a number of Hindus. Ambushed by the police, the entire gang of eleven Mahsuds, including four notorious outlaws responsible for a number of raids, were captured with rifles, Mills' hand-grenades and other weapons. One constabulary man was killed and two villagers wounded.

SIKHS ARRESTED

Lahore, April 22.—A number of prominent Sikh leaders in the Punjab have been arrested in connection with the Akali agitation under the Criminal Law Amendment Act, including the president, the secretary and the manager of the district Sikh shrine committee. "Do you not realize that if there were mittees."

Prince Of Wales Returns To London

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—The Prince of Wales returned to London this evening from Le Touquet.

Sikhs Stage Near-Riot When Radical "Martyr" Is Sentenced To Prison

British Police Court Scene Of Demonstration—
Author Of "British Justice Bankrupt"
Pamphlets Given Two Months

Several hundred Sikhs, disgruntled because Harbaks Singh, an intellectual radical, had just been sentenced to two months imprisonment at hard labor, caused a near-riot in the British Police Court yesterday that ended after they had formed a parade and marched from the Consulate grounds and gardens through Yuen Ming Yuen and Peking Roads, along the Bund, and then to the Gurdwara.

As they marched they chanted the prayer and bombarded each other with flowers and upon arrival at the Gurdwara indulged in a long session of chanting and songs of triumph. The demonstration came just after Magistrate King had found the Sikh radical guilty of sedition for printing and distributing a number of pamphlets in which it was charged that British justice in India had gone bankrupt. Hundreds of the pamphlets are reported to have been broadcast over the Settlement.

Immediately upon pronouncing sentence of two months at hard labor, the forfeiture of security in a previous case, and the necessity of his finding other surety that he will keep the peace after he is liberated, Magistrate King started to leave the court room. There was a low murmur of disapproval as he reached the door which suddenly swelled into a low roar, increasing as Magistrate King ordered the police on duty to clear the courtroom and they proceeded with their work with such a hearty vengeance that several of the "martyr's" adherents in the courtroom were bowled over. Others were pushed aside and man-handled until apparent peace reigned, when the courtroom was cleared. The prompt and efficient work of the police on duty prevented what might have turned out to be a near-riot.

Two previous hearings of the case had been heard and at the resumption of the hearing yesterday morning Magistrate King announced that sufficient evidence had been given to continue the hearing on additional charges of having possession of seditious pamphlets.

Mr. W. C. Loyne and Mr. C. B. Clarke, both of the Whiteaway Laidlaw store, were called and testified that on one day last week they were walking along Nanking Road and saw a Chinese distributing the pamphlets. As soon as they had read the one handed to them they grabbed the entire stock and the Chinese broke and ran.

In framing the charges against the Sikh Magistrate King pointed out that he would have to show the Court that he did not have the pamphlets printed, that he did not have them distributed, and that the matter contained in the pamphlets was not seditious.

SIKH DEFENSE

The Sikh, in his own defense, read a document he had prepared in which he asserted that Shanghai was not a British colony but an International Settlement and the pamphlet in question could not be considered as seditious. Reuter's telegrams from India, he asserted, were false, and all he had done was to publish the truth of the political situation in India at the present time, which he expanded at considerable length. Some condition in India, he said, were barbarous. Indians in Shanghai, he continued, were not given the same consideration as other British subjects, citing a time when his shop had been searched by the police. He had gone to the British Consulate-General about it, he said, but had received no satisfaction. Other innocent Indians had been deported without proper trial. "I do not mind going to prison," the Sikh asserted with a show of bravado. "You will merely be transferring me from a larger jail to a smaller one. You can imprison my body but my soul will always soar free. All men of all colors are my brothers and I am not the enemy of any single one. I am the enemy

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EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS FELT IN ENGLAND; CAUSE ALARM

Tremors Reported In
Various Parts Of
Britain

BUILDINGS ROCK

Congregation Flees As
Parish Church
Is Hit

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—The excitement created in parts of England recently by earth tremors was intensified during the week-end by an earthquake in Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire.

A very alarming incident occurred during divine service in the parish church at Tibshelf. The congregation felt a great bump and the building rocked. Many of the worshippers rushed out. Elsewhere chimneys were thrown down by violent tremors, accompanied by rumbling.

MARIE CORELLI, NOTED NOVELIST, SUCCUMBS AT 59

Author Of Many Romances
Dies At Her Home In
England

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—The death is announced of Miss Marie Corelli, the eminent novelist, at the age of 59.

Marie Corelli was born of Italian and Scotch parentage, but in infancy was adopted by Charles Mackay, a well-known song-writer, and was educated during her childhood in England. Later, she was sent to France where she attended a convent school.

Her first book, "A Romance of Two Worlds," published in 1886, met with instant success and from that time on she devoted herself entirely to literature. Others of her more popular novels include "Vendetta," "The Master," "The Soul of Lillith," "The Treasure of Heaven," "The Life Everlasting," and "The Love of Long Ago." Miss Corelli last published work was "The Secret Power," which was brought out in England in 1921. Altogether, she was credited with more than a score of novels, most of which achieved great popular success in England and America.

Miss Corelli made her home at Mason Croft, Stratford-on-Avon, England.

AID TO FLEET IS REFUSED BY TSINGTAO CHIEF

New Governor Declares He
Will Never Support
Navy Squadron

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tsingtao, April 19.—"The Tsingtao Administration will positively not support Admiral Wen's squadron here. He said that he felt in no sense under an obligation to furnish financial support to a naval detachment, which was part of the strength of the nation. Any navy was a national affair and no territory or province should be compelled to stand the entire burden. The surplus revenue of the Kiaochow Administration would be forwarded to Peking, and if the Central Government saw fit to use all or part of it for the support of the squadron, that was their affair."

The Governor strongly denied reports that the Administration would advance sums to Admiral Wen Shu-teh for the upkeep of his squadron here. He said that he felt in no sense under an obligation to furnish financial support to a naval detachment, which was part of the strength of the nation. Any navy was a national affair and no territory or province should be compelled to stand the entire burden. The surplus revenue of the Kiaochow Administration would be forwarded to Peking, and if the Central Government saw fit to use all or part of it for the support of the squadron, that was their affair.

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CONFERENCE FOR FOREIGNERS AT PEITAIHO IN JULY

Program For Missionary Meeting Is Announced

A Conference for foreigners will be held at the Conference plant at Peitaiho from July 16 to August 13.

Three main buildings are equipped for housing guests. The buildings are plain, but comfortable. The grounds consist of about fifty-five acres with an ocean frontage. Fine trees and vegetation afford delightful surroundings. The kitchens and accessory buildings are screened; and the necessary sanitary measures have been provided. The Auditorium affords a fine cool place for meetings in summer.

There is no charge for accommodations, but a daily rate of \$1.25 is charged for board.

There are some rooms especially set aside for families; so that a limited number of children may also be accommodated. We hope to have a special program for children, including music and games. Children under ten years of age are charged half price for board.

The program for the month is divided into three sections of one week each, spaced by two days for rest, so that those for whom this is an only holiday may not become too tired. There will be a special theme for each section, and all of the meetings of the day will bear upon that theme. The messages will be planned so as to minister to the personal spiritual need, and also to give inspiration and suggestion along the lines of service.

There will be four sessions daily: an early period of united intercession before breakfast; two periods in the morning, one of which will be for Bible study; and an inspirational message in the evening. There will be no afternoon sessions. Much time will be left free for exchange of thought and experience, which was one of the most helpful and delightful features of the Conference last year.

Speakers from abroad will be present; and missionaries in China will also assist in the Conference program.

A committee consisting of Dr. J. Walter Lowrie, Miss Bess Combs, and Miss Ruth Paxson have charge of this Conference. Please address all correspondence concerning this Conference to Miss Ruth Paxson, 9 Ave. Petals, Shanghai. As the accommodations are limited, please write as soon as possible, for registrations will be made in the order of application. Arrangements can probably also be made for those who signify their desire to remain for a period after the Conference closes.

Expresses Regret Over Kwangtung's Internal Strife

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 22.—A midnight mandate says that the Government has received a communication from General Chow Hung-yin expressing regret at the internal strife from which Kwangtung particularly suffered. The people are tired of domestic upheavals and the new Constitution offers opportunity for rehabilitation. General Chow declares his devotion to the task of reunification and his loyalty to the Central Government. The mandate then instructs General Chow to suppress local disturbances with a view to reunification.

General Chow Hung-yin, who is one of General Chen Chiung-ming's doughty followers, recently left Walchow for Amoy and was principally responsible for the recent defeat of General Tsang Chih-ping. According to Consular despatches it was arranged that when General Chow defeated General Tsang and settled the affairs in that region he was to be joined by Fukien troops and return to Walchow after which further operations would follow.

Strike Wave Gains Volume In Russia, Socialists Claim

(Reuter's Service)
Riga, April 21.—The Socialist leaders, Mm. Fedor Dahn and Tseretelli, in the course of speeches declared that a strike wave was gaining volume throughout Russia, although the Government's "suppressive and terrorist" measures had hitherto prevented serious outbreaks.

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Income Taxes Of \$377,848,840 Equal Of 1923

Washington, March 17.—Income taxes for 1923, as paid to internal revenue collectors on and before March 15, totaled \$377,848,840, or approximately the same amount as was paid a year ago. President Coolidge was informed today by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair.

Reports from the sixty-five collectors, Mr. Blair said, showed actual deposited receipts of \$256,507,512, and undeposited receipts of \$121,341,328. The total is expected to be slightly augmented by late returns.

Officials explained that they had not expected payments this year to equal those of a year ago because many taxpayers sent in only a portion of their payments in the belief that a 25 percent reduction in 1923 taxes would be ordered by Congress before the next payment on June 15 is due.

FLAMES DESTROY 300 HOUSES IN WUHU, ANHWEI

(China Press Correspondence)

Wuhu, April 19.—Another serious fire in Wuhu, the most serious we have had this winter occurred on the night of the 16th while an unusually high wind was blowing. Three hundred Chinese houses were burned down in an area lying between the Bank of China, two hundred feet of the Da Ma Lu and the market. The fire started about midnight and was still burning at ten o'clock the next morning. Three people were burned to death, and the Chinese rather weirdly report in this connection that four pigs and one dog were also burned. Some large brick walls finally prevented the fire from spreading farther.

The Wuhu Recreation Club was "At Home" to the community in celebration of the re-opening of the tennis season. The tea was well attended. Refreshments were served by club members. The tennis courts are in good condition, and the gardens more promising than before the season. Mr. and Mrs. Portway of the Salt Gabelle have been transferred from Wuhu to Swatow and Dr. Kelley from Chungking has been appointed to take Mr. Portway's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Raeteri of the Customs are going to Italy soon on leave. The Raeteris have been residents of Wuhu for the past ten years.

Tsingtao To Have Information Bureau

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Talingtao, April 19.—The Governor is forming an Information Bureau for the purpose of disseminating information about the city and Kiaochow Territory. This will be supplied upon application to businessmen and tourists. Special efforts will be made to ascertain business conditions and other special subjects of interest to businessmen will be dealt with.

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BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION WILL BE OPENED TODAY

All In Readiness For Huge Exposition; Ceremony Planned

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Shanghai, April 22.—At the British Empire Exhibition to be opened at Wembley tomorrow, the Eastern Associated Telegraph Companies will occupy a space with their own exhibits, and so forth.

For the convenience of exhibitors, visitors and others, they will also have their own telegraph station for the acceptance and delivery of telegrams at a stand at Avenue 15, Bay 7 to 11, in the Palace of Engineering, which will be in direct communication with their London station at Electra House.

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 22.—Splendid weather during the past few days immensely helped forward the day and night efforts of the army of workers in the final spurt to bring the British Empire Exhibition to a state of practical completion in time for the opening. The finishing touches are now being put to many sections. It is estimated that the great show will be 95 percent ready when the King, accompanied by the Queen, arrive in State on April 23 from Windsor.

The proceedings in connection with the opening ceremony will begin at 10:30 a.m. by massed bands, a Brigade of Guards and massed choirs. Guards of Honor will be furnished by the Navy, the Army and the Air Force. The representatives of the Dominions and the Colonies will be posted on a corner of the Royal Dais. The musical program will last an hour until the arrival of Their Majesties who will be welcomed by the Prince of Wales as the President of the Exhibition. His Majesty's reply will be delivered before an audience of 150,000 people in the Stadium, while elaborate broadcasting arrangements have been made to transmit the speech to every part of the country. A brief religious ceremony will follow after which a Royal salute of 21 guns will be fired and the Union Jack will be broken over the Dais and the Dominion and Colonial flags on their respective buildings.

Last Musical Tea At Y.W.C.A. Friday

The last musical tea of the season will be held in the rooms of the Foreign Y.W.C.A., 19 Yuen Ming Yuen Road, on Friday, April 25, at 5 p.m.

The program will be in charge of the Music Department of the American School. Miss Cecile Hindman and Miss Bernice Austin, of the faculty, are arranging the music.

Have you read the articles on Fishing in China, China Tea, Folk Music in China, White Ants, Chu Shi, etc., etc., in the March number of

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Sikhs Demonstrate As One Is Sentenced

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of the Indian Government and I will do the same as I have done when you set me free for I shall not rest until my India is free from the foreign yoke oppressing her."

MAGISTRATE'S VIEWS
Magistrate King unflinching despite the arrogance of the prisoner, then spoke to the Sikh for several minutes on the merits of the question. Whether the matter in the pamphlets was true or not did not affect the case, he said, because neither the truth nor good intentions were material points in a sedition case. The point was that they had brought the British Government into contempt and ridicule and would tend to incite the various classes of the King's subjects.

He was well aware, he continued, that unsettled conditions prevailed in India, but pointed out that the British were doing everything possible to bring about good government and asserted that such pamphlets as the accused had published would not help the situation, but rather, make things even worse.

"Do you not realize that if there were no government in India turmoil would ensue?" the Magistrate asked.

"No government would be better than the present government," the Sikh replied.

The Sikh then explained that the pamphlets he had printed had been distributed to 450 foreigners. The Indians, he said, were well aware of true conditions in India because they received Indian papers, but the foreigners were misled because Reuter "did not send out a true version of conditions. He cited one case" in which he asserted Reuter had cabled that 14 Indians had been killed during a disturbance. Actually, he said, nearly 250 were killed.

The Indian newspapers, the Sikh continued, were censored by the British authorities before they left India. He produced one paper's alleged translations which described the British Government as the "Satanic Government."

Magistrate King expressed some surprise that newspapers using such language came into Shanghai. Captain E. I. M. Barrett, who was present, admitted that some of them contained rather fiery language.

L. G. Husar Sues Pacific Mail For \$50,000 G.

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which was about 23 ft. in length, weighed about 40 lb. and fell through a distance of three to three and a half feet. He was unconscious for a short while and when he came to he was still dazed, but was helped down to the doctor's cabin, where his injury was dressed and seven stitches put in. He was confined to his cabin for the rest of that day and the next, and from that time onward was unable to play as active a part in the doings on the ship as he had done before.

SKULL FRACTURED

Since that time he had suffered considerable pain in the region of the injury, his eyesight had been adversely affected, so that he had had to have his glasses changed, his memory on some minor matters had been somewhat impaired, and close application to his work caused pain in the head which he had not experienced prior to the accident. Consulting Dr. Martin and Dr. O'Hara he had been subjected to a strict examination in the course of which it was found that the inner table of the skull had been fractured, leading to an increase of pressure in the cerebro-spinal fluid, which it was found necessary to relieve by means of a lumbar puncture which operation had been carried out by the two doctors, and had afforded him some relief. His medical advisers had also told him that in order to prevent a recurrence of the symptoms of which he had complained, it would be necessary for him to take a prolonged holiday.

In reply to Mr. Fessenden, witness denied that he had contributed to the accident by throwing the ball vertically in the air. He had thrown it at an angle and with sufficient force for it to reach Dr. Pedersen.

Dr. Paul Martin gave a detailed description of his examination of Mr. Husar and gave it as his opinion that the fracture of the

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inner table of the skull was responsible for the symptoms which the plaintiff had suffered. He was suffering at the time of the examination from traumatic neuritis and increase pressure of the cerebro spinal fluid, but with sufficient rest a recurrence of the symptoms would not be likely.

Dr. O'Hara gave similar evidence adding that it was possible that a slight hemorrhage, arising from the same causes might have had the effect of causing the suffering Mr. Husar had described. Mr. Husar was better now than he was, and has agreed with Dr. Martin that a long rest would probably safeguard him from any further trouble in this respect.

The case was adjourned.

Empress Sails For Japan With World Tourists

The Empress of Canada sailed late yesterday for Kobe after allowing the more than 350 world tourists on board three days in which to properly 'do' Shanghai. Tenders were available each day for the globe-trotters and despite the fact that they are somewhat tired because of the plethora of sights they have already seen, they enjoyed seeing Shanghai. After an extended stop at Kobe to allow the tourists to make a trip through Nippon the Empress will sail for Yokohama, Honolulu and Hilo.

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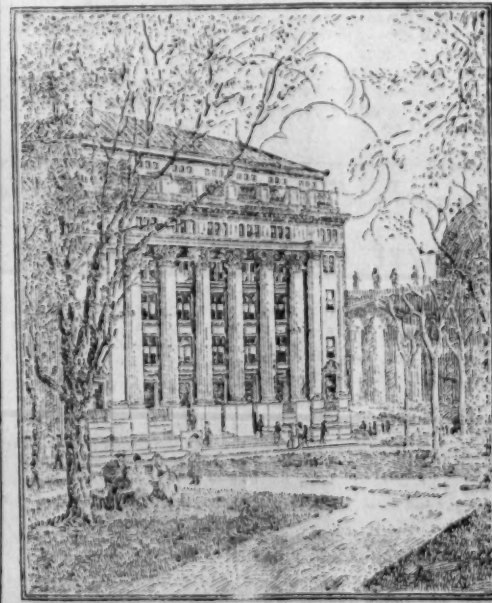
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News Brevities

General Darwin A. Utter of the U. S. Geodetic Survey is a passenger on board the President Cleveland, now in port, for Nagasaki.

Among arrivals on the President Cleveland yesterday from San Francisco were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Giles, Mrs. P. L. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Melchers, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nichols, Mr. Nelson Poe, and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sellick.

Mr. Paul W. Brown, Executive Secretary of the Navy Y. M. C. A., Mrs. Brown and their little daughter Miss Betty, aged ten, arrived yesterday on the President Cleveland from the States. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have been absent from Shanghai for five months on furlough.

The Civic Department of the American Women's Club will meet on Thursday afternoon in the club rooms. Tea will be served at four o'clock and the meeting will be called to order at 4.30. A representative of the Y. W. C. A. will speak on the ideals and achievements of the association and matters of business will be taken up.

By inadvertence two names were omitted from the list of successful senior candidates in the Cambridge local examinations last published in yesterday's CHINA PRESS. The Hon. Secretary, Dean C. J. F. Symons inform us that Miss M. K. Caulton and Miss S. M. dos Remedios, both of the Public School for Girls, also passed.

Mr. A. Ramsay of Peking has telegraphed reporting the arrival of himself and family at Riga, via Siberia, in fourteen days.

A dozen Russian Cosmacks who went to Manila from Shanghai to give exhibitions in horsemanship during the annual carnival in February are stranded and are now living on charity. They had expected to continue their voyage to Singapore, where further exhibitions were to be given, but their plans did not materialize.

With regard to the recent illness of Tschun Hsiao Yao-nan, the Chinese press reports that in addition to having invited many doctors, both Chinese and foreign, to attend him, his family have made pilgrimages to pray the aid of their gods to bring about his recovery. A long and strangely worded oracle, unreadable to ordinary folk and supposed to be of healing influence, was published in a number of the Chinese papers.

Professor C. D. Kellogg and family will sail on the French Mail steamer Angkor tomorrow. Mr. Kellogg is professor of biology in the Fokien Christian University at Fochow. He expects to spend some time in Italy and France studying sericulture and upon his return to America in the autumn will do graduate work at Harvard.

Rev. Carleton Lacy, secretary of the American Bible Society in China, has gone to North China on a trip in the interests of his Bible Society work.

Mikhail J. Kartalin, unemployed Russian with two previous convictions in the Mixed Court and with an order of expulsion standing against him, appeared in that tribunal again yesterday charged with being drunk and disorderly on Chapoo Road last Thursday. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$5 or go to jail for three days.

The proprietor of an opium den at 535 Sungkiang Road was

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fine \$30 in the Mixed Court yesterday, with the alternative of a month's imprisonment.

Sir Edward Crowe, formerly British Commercial Counsellor at Yokohama has been appointed head of the foreign section of the Department of Overseas Trade and will not return to Japan at present. The appointment is an important one and involves the supervision of the British commercial services throughout the world, except in British dominions and possessions. The promotion came unexpectedly after Sir Edward had made all his plans for returning to Japan. Lady Crowe, who has been seriously ill and has undergone an operation, is making a very good recovery and is able to be out for a short time each day.

Among passengers who arrived on the President Cleveland from San Francisco yesterday were Mr. Charles A. Barker, retired banker of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Barker. Mrs. Gauss, wife of Mr. C. E. Gauss, American Consul at Tientsin, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barker, is accompanying them. They will visit in Tientsin.

A young man who almost lost his life at Tandjong Priok, Java, when he caught his neck in a repeat the gangway as he was endeavoring to jump to the wharf after the Empress of Canada had begun moving away, was the American consul at Batavia, Mr. C. Porter Kuykendall. He was saved by the able action of Captain Jones, who seized him about the waist.

A number of people had a very narrow escape from being killed or severely injured in Singapore recently when a big Ford motor-bus overturned at the junction of North Bridge Road and Coleman

Street, owing to one of the wheels giving way. The bus was full of passengers, but nobody was seriously injured.

Marshal Chang Tso-lin is reported to have telegraphed to District Superintendent Tsai, at Harbin, refusing to accede to the demand of the Chinese Eastern Railway to get the ban on the navigation of the Sungari by its steamers withdrawn, on the ground that the Railway failed to make a sufficiently strong case of the matter.

A report is published saying that General Yang Yi-lin, director of the Mukden-Shanghai light railway construction, had reported to General Chang Tso-lin the sale of shares totalling \$1,000,000. He also reported the establishing of various departments for carrying on the construction, which is expected to begin in June.

A bill requesting the abolition of the title of Emperor permitted Hsuan Tung the ex-Manchu Emperor, has been introduced into the House of Representatives by Li Hsieh-yang. In the document it is charged that the ex-Manchu Emperor recently bestowed upon Chang Yin-lin the title of "father to the prince" on the strength of which his friends extended their congratulations. It was further

pointed out that following the restoration movement many honors were bestowed by the Ching household. Therefore, as a representative of the people, Li requests the abolition of the court.

Marshal Chang Tso-lin will shortly order Major-General Chang Hsueh-liang to Manchuria in order to inspect the conditions of the Red army on the frontier. A rumor is prevalent that the strength of the Red army has been greatly replenished, and it is for the purpose of ascertaining the truth of this rumor that the visit by General Chang will be undertaken. In case it is found necessary, it is said, General Chang will go as far as Nicolai. The proposal of his visit has been welcomed by the Russian authorities, although they are not ready to take any steps further than facilitating his inspection of the army on the frontier.

At its last meeting, held Thursday, the Peking Senate unanimously passed a resolution calling on the Government to take steps to secure the cancellation of all further Boxer indemnity payments. The resolution was prepared by a committee of which Dr. C. T. Wang was one of the members. The matter has been referred to the Foreign Office.

Jeff May Have Influence In Washington, But—!

By Bud Fisher

Chung Foo Bank In Record Net Profit

(Continued from page 1)

growth of its deposits and reserves show the measure of success the bank has achieved in securing the complete support and confidence of the public. The future development of the bank is certain to be on a larger scale than before. The general manager, Mr. Y. R. Sun, ably assisted by Mr. T. D. Zar, sub-manager, must be congratulated on the remarkable growth of the business of the bank and for having made it a truly representative and trustworthy Chinese banking institution. The bank today is represented in every large and important city of the world, and a part of its prosperity is due to the number of industrial enterprises formed by the directors of this bank.

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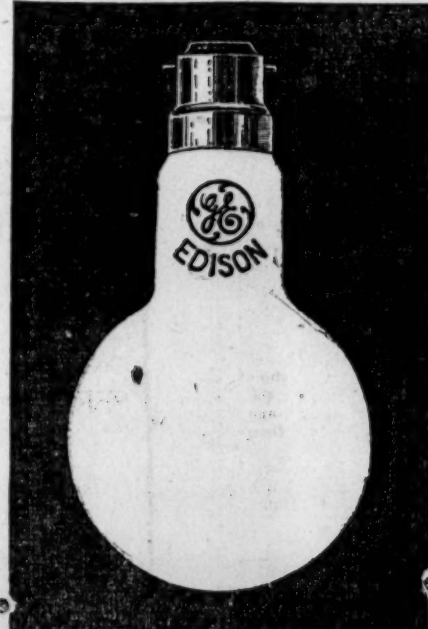
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Winner Rallies After Trailing In First Part Of Game And Finishes With Remarkable Display, Including Numerous B.g Breaks

Captain Barrett has won another championship. This time it is at Billiards. He has been trying to annex this crown for some time and last night when he met Mr. Gordon Morris he made very few mistakes. The game was played in two sessions of six hundred each.

Before dinner there was little of note with the exception of a beautiful break of 57 from the cue of Gordon Morris which put him in the lead. Despite the fine efforts of Barrett he held it till the 600 mark was called.

After dinner the little hall was crowded. Morris was unable to improve on his unfinished break of 12 and then the two players watched each other like cats. Neither gave away a stroke. Safety after safety was the order until Barrett finding an opening, compiled a delightful break of 40 in which he used the red to fine effect. This brought the scores:

Barrett 640
Morris 637

This success brought Morris to the fore who scored 31 and a little later the same player put a great 54 to his credit and this was principally off the red. Now the scores stood:

Morris 729
Barrett 675

A thirty from Barrett, a nice forty one from Morris, and then a wonderful splash by Barrett in which he scored a 63 brought the scores almost level again:

Barrett 780
Morris 773.

After this there was no holding the captain. He simply played brilliant billiards. There wasn't a stroke that he wasn't able to bring off. His superb work was with

the long jenny. Time and time again he carried himself out of what looked like impossible situations with the aid of this stroke. But it was one of many. The trouble was that while Barrett was doing everything right everything went wrong for Morris. The balls wouldn't run well. He brought off any amount of beautiful shots and then seemed to break down on the seemingly easiest. Barrett followed a fifty with a sixty four. Then came 37 and a 36. In the meantime Morris was only able to contribute a 25 a 30 a 31 and a 22.

At the conclusion of the match Mr. Porter—a champion of many years past—congratulated the winner on his success and expressed the wish that the balls would run better for Gordon Morris next year. Mrs. Porter gave away the prizes. Captain Barrett paid a high tribute to the secretary, Mr. Pickering, for his fine organising work and to the Treasurer Mr. Gibson. He looked upon the season as one of the most successful ever held. The association had its own hall and table and play was under excellent conditions. Mr. Johnson's name was also mentioned for his good work and advice as to tables and racing.

JAPANESE GIVE JIJITSU SHOW AT THE CARLTON

Waseda University Athletes Compete With Local Experts

A Jujitsu exhibition by a number of Japanese amateur experts attracted a great throng to the New Carlton last evening, where for more than two hours the experts of the Japanese art delighted the spectators. The exhibition, which was under the auspices of the Shanghai Alumni society of Waseda University, brought out many and varied forms of jujitsu, and to say that the Europeans and Americans in the crowd were amazed at the work shown is putting it mildly.

Mr. S. Yada, Japanese Consul General and a party of distinguished Japanese attended.

Mr. Y. Ikeda, of the Eastern News Agency, acted as master of ceremonies. Previous to the opening of the exhibition Mr. Ikeda made a brief address, as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen.—It is not without considerable diffidence that we are here to-night to submit this exhibition of the Japanese art of self-defence (better known as jujitsu) to the Shanghai public. We have been primarily prompted by a desire to express our great appreciation of the keen interest shown in the art by our numerous guests here.

While the exhibition, I am afraid, is not complete as one could expect, our purpose is to show through the exhibition the chivalrous spirit which has always governed the students of jujitsu from the days of old.

The value of jujitsu has been recognized by both the Government and people of Japan, who adopted it with such enthusiasm that it has now become an integral part of the life of the majority of the nation. It forms an extensive department of the

naval, military and police training. The word "jujitsu" itself has been variously translated into English and perhaps I should add American, as meaning "the muscle breaking," "the excellent secret art," "the art of softness," of "the gentle-art," but it is impossible to convey in one or two descriptive words of this sort what jujitsu really is.

I will venture to claim for jujitsu that it is not only the finest system of self-defence extant but that it is also second to none as a means of developing rapidity of movement and perfect balance, besides being by no means to be despised as a developer of strength and muscle of the right quality.

Then again, it is a magnificent sport, game, or exercise, call it what you will, second to none in the mental, moral and physical qualities which it calls into play, and certainly equal to every other with which I am acquainted, in that it is neither monotonous or uninteresting to performer or spectator.

I understand that jujitsu has already insinuated itself into the favor of Western nations. In Japan, besides men, even ladies are practising it with keen interest.

Before concluding, I will try to put the science of jujitsu in a nutshell. It must always be borne in mind that the whole fabric of jujitsu is based on the utilisation of strategy, agility, and rapidity of movement rather than a strength, pure and simple.

Success is achieved by the conservation of energy rather than by the use of it, so far as jujitsu is concerned.

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Nottingham Forest 1, Preston North End 1.
Tottenham Hotspur 4, Manchester City 1.
West Bromwich Albion 3, Sunderland 1.
West Ham United 2, Sheffield United 2.
SCOTTISH LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION
Clyde 2, Hearts 2.
Partick Thistle 3, Queen's Park 0.
Third Lanark 3, Hamilton Academicals 2.

Cricketers From South Africa In England For Games

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 21.—The South African cricketers have arrived in England. They are in excellent condition and are very keen. Mr. S. W. Taylor, captain of the team, interviewed by a representative of Reuter's Agency, expressed the opinion that the South Africans ought to win a majority of the County games. It would be presumptuous to say that they were going to beat England, but luck might be on their side.

Evers Succeeds Chance As White Sox Manager

(Exclusive China Press)
Chicago, April 21.—Johnny Evers, veteran idol of American baseball, has succeeded Frank Chance as manager of the Chicago American League baseball team, according to announcement made today. Chance has suffered from a vigorous training season and has been ordered to California to recuperate. President Comiskey told newspapermen that Chance would always have a job with him and that he expected him back soon fully recovered.

British Victors In Inter-Army Rugby

(Reuter's Service)
Paris, April 21.—In an inter-Army rugby match here today the British Army beat the French Army by 21 points to 17. Race sport.

Tsingtao Race Club Is Granted Charter

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Tsingtao, April 19.—The Administration has granted a charter to the newly formed International Recreation Club to operate the old race course of Hui Chuan, which has been abandoned since 1922.

QUAINTS TO PLAY SHORT SEASON HERE NEXT WEEK

That ever-popular company "The Quaints" which has been doing remarkable business up North will return to the Lyceum Theater on Wednesday next, April 30, when they will play a further five nights prior to their return to Hongkong and other places South.

They are advertised to present new productions which include "As They Like It," with apologies to Shakespeare, and the "Co-Optimists," which was such a success in Tientsin, where it was produced for the first time and contains some wonderfully tuneful numbers, clever dances and burlesques. On Friday they will give "Polly," the Chelmsford version that was co-adapted by R. B. Salisbury. On Saturday they will appear as themselves, "The Quaints," and on Monday, which is their farewell performance they will put on an entire request program when they will bid "Good Bye—ee" to Shanghai after a most successful season. Booking will open at Moutries in a day or two.

Tilden Quits U. S. Olympic And Davis Cup Tennis Teams

(Reuter's Service)
Philadelphia, April 21.—Mr. W. T. Tilden, Jr., announces his resignation from membership of the American Davis Cup and Olympic teams.

(Reuter's American Service)
Washington, April 21.—The resignation of Mr. W. T. Tilden, Jr. from membership of the American Davis Cup and Olympic teams was due to his desire not to embarrass the selection committees in view of the fact that his amateur status is questioned.

U. S. Marathon Runners Picked

(Exclusive China Press)
Boston, April 21.—The Olympic Committee has selected the first five men to finish in the Boston marathon race as the members of the American Olympic marathon team, according to announcement made today. C. H. Neman, one of the five selected, broke the American and Olympic marathon record in winning the race.

1st Day Results At Hankow Races

The following are the results of the first day's racing at the Hankow Spring Meeting:

- 1.—The Spring Cup.—One mile. Mr. P. D. Week's Rolls 1
- 2.—The Lottery Cup.—One mile and a half. Mr. Ewo's Hyppolite 1
- 3.—The Maiden Stakes.—Three-quarters of a mile. Mr. Powhattan's Flying Bat 1
- 4.—The Trial Plate.—Three-quarters of a mile. Mr. Yakonnikoff's Juniter 1
- 5.—The Scurry Plate.—Half a mile. Mr. Anlee's Ninspo 2
- 6.—The Cash Sweep Cup.—Nine furlongs. Mr. Ewo's The Kidd 1

- Mr. Gobake's Oak 3
Mr. Fontet's Futia 3
7.—The Easter Cup.—Nine furlongs. Mr. Wayfoong's Glen Buie 1
The Co-optimists' Radium 2
Mrs. Diffident's Hector 3
8.—The Pari-Mutual Cup.—One mile. Mr. Demetrius's Altan 4
Mr. Horie's Blue Peter 2
Mr. Anscot's The Stag 2
*Dead heat for second place.
9.—The Shapao Cup.—Seven furlongs. Mr. Foursome's Kro-fite 1
Mr. W. H. Lovatt's Bell Harry 2
Mrs. Bell's Pathfinder 3
10.—The Haoyang Plate.—One mile and a quarter. Mr. Ark's Jackaroo 1
Mr. W. H. Lovatt's Mark You 2
Mr. Anscot's Crusader 3
Mr. Demetrius's Baldan 4
*Dead heat for third place.
11.—The Griffin Stakes.—One mile and a quarter. Mr. Anlee's Soochow 1
Mr. Hogue's King Bruce 2
Mr. Roman's Augustus 3
*Dead heat for second place.

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The "inside" story of the insect world, always fascinating, was retold in an instructive and humorous manner yesterday afternoon in the American Women's Club by Dr. J. F. Illingworth, who was the principal speaker at the meeting of the American Association of University Women.

Dr. Illingworth, who represents the Bishop Museum in Honolulu, is in the Orient now as the representative also of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He and other scientists are searching for a parasite that will destroy beetles that have been ravaging acres of orchard and farm land in the fertile Delaware valley and along the Atlantic coast in the vicinity of New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware.

It was not until 1875 that there was any thought that insect pests might be destroyed by poison or what are known in science as "natural enemies;" that is, other insects that feed upon the pest or its unhatched young. A German scientist, Professor Koehle, was the first man to discover that once the natural home of an insect is found, it is comparatively easy to find its natural enemies there, and so destroy it.

SAVES ORANGE GROVES

He went to Australia in search of a parasite that would destroy an insect scale that was wiping out orange grove after orange grove in California. He learned by a process of elimination that Australia was the habitat of the insect scale and having discovered this he was enabled to continue his research further until he came across the beetle that, introduced into California, in one year killed off all the insect scale and revived the orange growing industry from certain death.

His work was so successful that he was called to Hawaii to cope with the ravaging hordes of insects that were wiping out the coffee plantations. Here, also, he succeeded in checking the ruin.

In the first year that Prof. Koehle was in the Hawaiian Islands he was called in to save the sugar cane crops. At that time, sugar was being produced in

Hawaii at the rate of 75,000 tons a year. This was considered the maximum of production. Further production was curtailed and the present output was menaced by the appearance of a small insect known as the "leaf hopper." This bug, one-eighth of an inch long, destroyed the sugar cane before it could be harvested. Professor Koehle, with other entomologists at a cost of over a million dollars finally succeeded in isolating a microscopic wasp which lays its egg inside the egg of the leaf-hopper and thus effectually destroyed the species.

CLEAR OUT HOPPERS

In a year hundreds of thousands of acres were cleared of leaf hoppers and so effective has been the scientific war upon insect pests in Hawaii that sugar-raising is now the principal industry in the Hawaiian Islands and the output is now well over \$50,000 tons annually, as compared with the former maximum output of 75,000.

Dr. Illingworth talked also of the medical aspects of entomology and spoke of the work he was trying to do to destroy the blue flies and other pests of China which spread the bacilli of amoebic dysentery, tuberculosis and other serious diseases.

The musical numbers of the afternoon's program, were a pianoforte selection by Miss Mitchell, and a Japanese harp solo by Mrs. Ishita, a Wellesley graduate. Miss Mary Dingman, of the Y.W.C.A., spoke briefly of the work of the "Y" and made an appeal for aid in the drive for funds which will begin on Thursday.

WELCOME MRS. PURDY

Mrs. Carlton Lacy, president of the A.A.U.W., introduced Mrs. Milton D. Purdy, wife of the new judge, and welcomed her in the name of the Association as an alumna of the University of Minnesota.

Other guests of the afternoon were several members of the graduating class of 1924 of the American School.

The Wellesley group were hostesses at the tea which preceded the afternoon's programs.

BIG CROWD SEES ANNUAL SPORTS AT SAINT XAVIERS'

More Than Two Hundred Events Contested By Students

The "Annual Sports" of St. Francis Xavier's College were run off on Monday under weather conditions that were almost ideal, and were witnessed by a large crowd. There were upward of 200 events all told, but some of these were contested last week.

The officials were: Judges—Messrs. J. O'Toole, Charles Chen, C. Maguire, Justin Tsao, Timekeepers—Messrs. A. M. Gutierrez, J. Reyes, J. Gutierrez and A. Aguilar (Chinese Events); D. Chen, Arthur Liu, Referees—Messrs. J. Quisyle and F. S. Bridges. Committee—The Rev. Bros. Faust, Charles, Claudius, Pastor and Alphonsus, and Messrs. A. M. Gutierrez, J. M. Gutierrez, C. dos Passas, A. Costa, A. Roche, A. Abolitz, A. Ros, J. Reyes, C. Marcal, C. Reyes, H. Favacho, J. Doming, C. Ros, G. Reyes, J. Hourihan, A. Souza, and the Senior Class Students. Handicapper and Starter—Reverend Brother Faust. Summaries:

"The Second Division Average Cup." Winner—J. Buntzen.

100 yards Ex-Students Championship. 1st T. Murray; 2nd A. Collico; 3rd C. Marcal. Time—10 1-5 secs.

100 yards College "Senior" Championship. 1st A. Roche; 2nd R. Murray; 3rd A. Abolitz. Time—11 secs.

100 yards College "Junior" Championship. 1st F. Carmo; 2nd V. Marcal; 3rd S. May. Time—11 2-5 secs.

100 yards Midgets (under 12) Championship. 1st C. Tzvetkoff; 2nd A. Boisserre; 3rd B. Kaldo. Time—14 secs.

100 yards Midgets (under 10) Championship. 1st A. Roliz; 2nd T. Antonio; 3rd R. Russell-Smith; 4th J. Bell. Time—15 secs.

100 yards Second Division Championship. 1st T. Rozario.

2nd J. Buntzen; 3rd K. Vierra. Time—11 4-5 secs.

220 yards Ex-Students Championship. 1st T. Murray; 2nd A. Collico; 3rd C. Marcal. Time—24 4-5 secs.

220 yards College "Senior" Championship. 1st E. Carion; 2nd A. Roche; 3rd V. Gonsalves. Time—26 secs.

220 yards College "Junior" Championship. 1st F. Carmo; 2nd V. Marcal; 3rd S. May. Time—27 secs.

220 yards Midgets (under 12) Championship. 1st C. Tzvetkoff; 2nd A. Boisserre; 3rd V. Barros; 4th J. Gutierrez. Time—32 secs.

220 yards Midget (under 10) Championship. 1st M. Livehitz; 2nd T. Antonio; 3rd L. Rozario; 4th T. Bell. Time—35 secs.

440 yards Second Division Championship. 1st J. Buntzen; 2nd K. Vierra; 3rd T. Rozario. Time—28 secs.

440 yards Ex-Students Handicap. 1st T. Murray; 2nd A. Collico; 3rd W. J. Noddt. Time—1 minute.

440 yards Students Handicap. 1st Lino Lopez; 2nd E. Carion; 3rd S. May. Time—1 minute.

440 yards Second Division Handicap. 1st J. Buntzen; 2nd

A. Perelidoff; 3rd A. Joseph and A. Boisserre (Dead Heat). 880 yards Ex-Students Handicap. 1st D. Foy; 2nd F. Foy; 3rd C. Marcal. Time—2:45 4-5.

880 yards Students Handicap (Open). 1st A. Santos; 2nd S. Foy; 3rd A. Tordy.

One Mile Walk (Students). 1st V. Gonsalves; 2nd C. Tzvetkoff; 3rd L. Gonsalves.

440 yards Walk for Midgets under 12. 1st C. Tzvetkoff; 2nd B. Kaldo; 3rd V. Barros and P. Lynch. Time—2:32 2-5.

Sack Race. 1st L. Borgeest; 2nd V. Barros; 3rd A. Roliz.

Dribbling The Football. 1st L. Gonsalves; 2nd V. Gonsalves; 3rd A. Caplan.

Kicking The Football. 1st J. Bossuet; 2nd F. Carmo; 3rd T. Lon. Distance 134 ft.

Egg and Spoon Race. 1st R. Bossuet; 2nd L. Gonsalves; 3rd V. Zolotieroff; 4th T. Britto.

One Mile Walk (Ex-Students). 1st A. Ros; 2nd L. Marcal; 3rd G. Reyes.

Obstacle Race (Ex-Students). 1st J. Gutierrez; 2nd G. Reyes; 3rd D. Foy.

High Jump (Seniors Students).

1st E. Carion; 2nd J. Rotaech; 3rd A. Santos. Height—5 ft. 2 ins.

Long Jump (Senior Students). 1st E. Carion; 2nd R. Murray; 3rd J. Rotaech. Distance 16 ft. 3 ins.

High Jump (Junior Students). 1st V. Sonders; 2nd G. Marcal; 3rd V. Marcal. Height—4 ft. 6 3/4 ins.

Long Jump (Junior Students). 1st A. M. Pereira; 2nd S. Foy; 3rd G. Marcal. Distance—15 ft. 5 ins.

Putting the Shot (16 lbs.). 1st V. Marcal; 2nd J. Rotaech; 3rd E. Remedios. Distance 24 ft.

Throwing the Cricket Ball. 1st A. Roche; 2nd L. Smoliansky; 3rd V. Marcal. Distance—23 1/2 ft.

Obstacle Race for Midgets Under 10. 1st M. Barros; 2nd M. Livehitz; 3rd C. Drayer; 4th J. King.

880 yards Relay Race (Inter-Class). 1st Commercial Class.

2nd Upper Seniors; 3rd First Class.

Five-A-Side Senior Football. 1st V. Gonsalves; 2nd F. Marcal.

Nine-A-Side Midgets Football. 1st Eddie Waley; 2nd Ludwig Tordy.

CHINESE DIVISION
"Rev. Bro. Pastor Cup." Winner—Reginald Hwang.

100 yards dash Championship. 1st Reginald Hwang; 2nd Joseph Hall; 3rd Wallace Jen. Time—11 1-5 secs.

880 yards Handicap. 1st Reginald Hwang; 2nd Raymond Pi; 3rd Gerald Li.

880 yards Relay Race. 1st 5th Class "A"; 2nd. 3rd Class; 3rd 4th Class "A".

Long Jump. 1st Bastian Hsu; 2nd Reginald Hwang; 3rd Charles Yoh. Distance 16 ft. 4 ft.

High Jump. 1st Bastian Chow; 2nd Reginald Hwang; 3rd William Shen. Height—4 ft. 9 1/2.

Slow Bicycle Race. 1st Edward Shen; 2nd Martin Young; 3rd Bastian Chow.

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Those interested in education have the opportunity today and tomorrow of listening to addresses by one of the leading educators of America, Dr. Otis W. Caldwell, B. S., Ph. D., director of the Lincoln Experimental School of Teachers' College, Columbia University.

Dr. Caldwell will speak today at 6 p.m. in connection with the meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association in the assembly hall of the Shanghai American School, his subject being "Reorganization of Subjects of Study in the School." The regular meeting of the Association will begin at 5:30. Educationalists of Shanghai and all interested in improved methods of education are invited to attend.

Dr. Caldwell will deliver an address under the auspices of the Kiangsu Educational Association and the China Christian Educational Association, Thursday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Chinese Y. M. C. A., 120 Szechuen Road.

Dr. Caldwell is the well known co-author of Caldwell and Pickenberry: General Science; also author of "Science Re-making the World," "Then and Now in Education," and a number of other well known educational books. As Director of the Lincoln Experimental School of Teachers' College, Columbia University and Professor of Education and Director of the Institute of Educational Research, he has been in the front of new developments in education in America. His experience before then as Dean of the University College of the University of Chicago, assured him close contact with middle western education.

A number of addresses were being scheduled for him when it was learned that he could only be in Shanghai a day or two returning to America on the 25th. He has had a brief visit in China, being out here for personal and family reasons rather than on official business. He is much closer to the actual problems and experiments in education than

either Dr. John Dewey or Dr. Paul Monroe who were in Shanghai recently under the auspices of the National Association for the Advancement of Education.

The opportunity to hear him is most exceptional and will be enthusiastically welcomed by parents and teachers as well as educational leaders who have the opportunity.

On Thursday at 12:30 p.m. the University of Chicago Alumni of Shanghai and vicinity will meet at the Navy Y. M. C. A. for luncheon, to hear Dr. Caldwell, who received his Ph. D. at the University of Chicago in 1898, was a member of the faculty 1906-1916, Dean of the University College 1911-1916, and Chairman of the Graduate Club Executive Committee for some years.

Several months ago about thirty of the alumni met to hear Dr. John B. Conlter, the noted botanist of the University of Chicago who was special advisor to the Government on botanical problems during the War. Dr. Caldwell is now one of the leading educators in America being a Director of the Lincoln Experimental School, Teachers' College, Columbia University and Director of the Institute of Educational Research at that University. Those intending to attend the luncheon should telephone Mrs. W. W. Peter, West 4089 before Wednesday noon.

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Democratic Proceedings To Be Held In Parks In June; State Department Receives Thanks From Japan For Rescue Of Crew; Farm-Labor Party Likely To Be Formed; Immigration Of Japanese Before Congress; Socialists In Pennsylvania Refuse To Sympathize With Russia

(By Our Own Correspondent)
New York, Mar. 17.—If plans of the commissioner of Parks in New York City are realized, the citizens of the Metropolis will not need tickets to gain admittance to Madison Square Garden in order to listen to the speeches before the Democratic Convention that takes place in June, for the proceedings are to be broadcasted by municipal radio and large amplifying apparatus located in six or seven of the parks will make it easy for all to hear the proceedings. In the Mall at Central Park will be seats for ten thousand and provision for many thousands can easily be made in Madison Square Park, City Hall Park, Prospect Park, Bronx Park, and elsewhere.

The City is negotiating for the purchase of a 1,000-watt broadcasting plant now in Rio de Janeiro where it was sent in 1922 for the Brazilian Centennial Exposition. The negotiations are being conducted with the Westinghouse Electric Company which has agreed to sell the set in question, according to reports.

The so-called Queen City, New York, will be in gala attire when the some 2,000 Democratic delegates arrive in June to attend the selection of a candidate for President of the United States of America. The city will be at its best at that season; boats will be running on the Hudson, flowers blooming and the straw hat in evidence. Excursions to various points will be in vogue and the visitor will have his choice of a boat to Coney Island, Rye Beach and Atlantic Highlands. The long coast line near to New York will afford opportunity for full enjoyment of "Father Neptune's" brightest smile. It seems fair to say, in conclusion, that the delegate or visitor to the convention of Democrats in New York in June will find sufficient things to do and see to keep him occupied for at least a few brief days in and around the town.

THANKS FROM JAPAN
The officers and crew of the Shipping Board steamer President McKinley are to receive the thanks of the Japanese Government through the State Department for the rescue of the captain and forty-six of the crew of the Japanese steamer Kiyosaki Maru on January 6. "In spite of considerable danger to herself," she "gallantly undertook the task of succoring the unfortunate crew" of the Kiyosaki Maru, according to a letter received from Baron Matsui.

The Japanese steamer left Vancouver, B. C. on or about December 13 and ran into a severe storm from which she emerged badly damaged and helplessly adrift. The President McKinley was proceeding to a Japanese port when a distress signal was picked up and promptly responded to, with the result that the Japanese were removed from their crippled ship and carried aboard the McKinley to Yokohama where they were landed January 15. The letter from the Japanese foreign office to the State Department is reported to have expressed on behalf of the Japanese Government the most sincere thanks for the efforts so gallantly made by the commander, the chief officer and other members of the crew of the President McKinley in connection with the rescue work so successfully carried out.

VIRGIN ISLANDS TRADE
Uncle Sam's latest territorial acquisition, the Virgin Islands, will likely be given serious consideration by the United States government with a view to adopting a new policy with reference thereto in the interest of the 1,900 white and 24,100 colored population residing there. The main points mentioned for study and consideration include ways and means of restoration of St. Thomas, which is the chief seaport of the islands, as a port of call; a restoration of the market for Bay Rum so that it may be exported to the United States without violation of the prohibition laws; the adoption of measures by the United States enabling a larger development of agriculture and import-export trade; together with the adoption of a policy that will tend to insure longer terms of office for the governors of the islands.

It was recently pointed out by a committee from the islands which called on the Secretary of Labor that much unemployment has been occasioned by a combination of conditions in the islands and that the recent droughts, prohibition act and other causes have led to evidences of undernourishment among some of the

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inhabitants. It was averred that 88 percent of the population can read and write, that the general health compares favorably with the health in some of the rural districts of the United States and that there is comparatively little crime among the inhabitants. However, economic and industrial conditions are far from satisfactory.

The Virgin Islands are located in the Atlantic, 1,025 miles north-east of Panama Canal and 1,440 miles south of New York. They comprise an area of approximately 132 square miles and were purchased in 1916 from Denmark by the United States for \$25,000,000.

FARMER-LABOR PARTY

Radical and progressive tendencies appear to be in an almost continuous state of fermentation out in the State of Minnesota and adjacent commonwealths. Resort was made to a convention held for June 17th, which date falls between the regular dates set for holding the Republican and Democratic conventions in Cleveland and New York, respectively. Efforts to form a definite third party movement and get it under way are rumored from various sources and the rumor is so insistent that it is gaining attention from the two old parties which have opposed each other for years until the split which brought into existence the Progressive Party and resulted in the election of Wilson in 1912 and 1913.

A platform for the Third Party movement is reported to include abolition of "special privilege," advocacy of public ownership of railroads, co-operative banks, natural resources, preservation of civil rights guaranteed to citizens under the written constitution and the prevention of judicial abuses in the Federal Courts.

Senator La Follette has been referred to as the logical candidate for the Presidency upon the projected Third Party ticket. The door is thrown open to his organizations of laborers and workers desiring to participate in the new party movement and who

will adopt and officially endorse the platform finally agreed upon. This will probably include farm organizations, local trade unions, central labor bodies, co-operative unions and fraternal societies which approve the plan and platform. A committee of forty-eight has been appointed to work in connection with the furtherance of the project.

ELIOT 90 YEARS OLD

President Emeritus Eliot, of Harvard University, recently gave a statement at the age of 90 years in which some very interesting observations occur. He was president of Harvard University at the age of 35 years and is described as a democrat in both heart and soul. He became head of the great University two years before the Hohenzollerns founded the German Empire and remained in that position for forty years. The Empire collapsed and fell into ruins some five years ago but the former president of Harvard is still wide awake and interested in life and the problems confronting the world of today.

Mr. Eliot voices his belief in democracy, says that our government today is better than it was formerly and that our philosophy is usually derived from others. An example of this was to be found in the late ex-President Woodrow Wilson, who was a profound scholar as well as a statesman and administrator. Of course, life is too short to enable one to probe deeply and thoroughly into original matters of research and science and much reliance must be placed upon the truth discovered by others.

Dr. Eliot believes in going to church, having a clean conscience, taking both bodily and mental exercise and being temperate in the use of luxuries, alcohol and tobacco. He has predicted that the personality of Jesus will be more revered by the Church of the future and his writings suggest a league of nations. He has stood, apparently, for abolition of race prejudice and prohibition of strikes interfering with the necessities of life.

TRANSPORTATION MUSEUM

A railroad museum is to be opened in New York at an early date by the executive officers of the New York Central Railroad. The object of the permanent exhibition will be to portray the development and perfection of steam railroad transportation system from the days of Sir Isaac Newton with his "Tea, Pot Kettle" to the 20th Century Limited or the Congressional Limited of the present

day period. The east wing of the main concourse of the Grand Central Terminal will be used to house this modern and unique exhibition of the history of railroading by steam.

A wide collection of car models, locomotives, engines, together with safety devices, signal systems, chairs and various and sundry devices of an educational nature are to be installed. Actual working models will be operated in the exhibition enabling one to study the different stages of development from the date of the first locomotive to be operated in New York State in 1830 and 1831. In all probability Peter Cooper of 1830 would find much to indicate that this is a progressive age were he to return from Spirit Land and make a visit to the museum in question with its innumerable exhibits.

Much of the display is devoted to paying deserved honor to the builders and engineers of the famous train known in 1893 as "Number 999." It is stated that it was none other than old 999 that made a record for speed that was unequalled at that time and unexcelled by any engine since. The speed record, according to reports, was made by engine 999 in 1892 was 112 miles an hour.

JAPANESE IMMIGRATION

A delegation of citizens from California and Pacific Coast States have been heard from lately by the committee on Immigration in the Senate and House at Washington concerning matter of immigration as it is thought to affect the west coast of the United States. Interest, therefore, in immigration is not confined alone to the Eastern Coast. The Western Coast also has its own problems and peculiar viewpoints upon the subject. In the Eastern section of the United States, it may almost be said that immigrants from a majority of the European countries are clamoring for admission; while on the Pacific Coast the principal nation furnishing immigrants is Japan.

Restrictive measures have been urged by many living on the Pacific Coast with a view to checking the arrivals and limiting the numbers coming from the

Orient. The extreme stand has been taken by some that a total exclusion should be provided for by national legislation; but apparently the national government has found it difficult to share views thus expressed by some of the citizens in California, Washington and Oregon states. Several years ago Secretary Bryan of the State Department made a trip to California upon a mission to confer with certain of the State legislative authorities in an effort to persuade California to permit the National Government to adjust all matters relating to the restriction and exclusion of immigrants from the Oriental countries. Whether the question was settled to the entire satisfaction of the Californians remains one of doubt; recent developments seem to indicate that it was not and that there is an increase of Japanese, for instance, immigrants despite the so-called Gentlemen's Agreement of 1908 which is still in existence.

Secretary Hughes apparently is in favor of modifying the proposed alien bill before Congress by inserting a provision in the bill

admitting Asiatics under the terms of existing treaties and international obligations heretofore entered into and now in force. The Secretary makes the point that it would be unfortunate were the bill to pass in a form that would violate any existing treaty or international obligation. It has been projected that immigration will

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likely be restricted upon the same basis for all nations.

The general subject of immigration has been discussed both pro and con for several weeks and the views appearing in the public prints have been diverse and of widespread variance, ranging from one extreme to another. It has been suggested that the nation has come to the parting of the ways; that the early theory voiced so frequently when the nation was younger to the effect that this is a haven for the down-trodden and an asylum for the oppressed of every land and clime was a very beautiful theory in those early days; but that the time has at last arrived when the asylum and haven doctrine must be modified and stricter attention given to the selection of fit and proper materials to be added to and used in the completion of the nation's structure.

It has been declared that under the four-power treaty it is recognized that nations have the right to select their immigrants irrespective of the desires of other nations which may conflict therewith. The policy of selection appears to be in course of practice by such nations as Canada, New Zealand, Australia and certain of the South American countries. Generally speaking, it would seem that no nation should be careless and admit what others have rejected.

PENNSYLVANIA SOCIALISTS

Condolences to the Russian people and Government were refused by the State Convention of Socialists in Pennsylvania at Harrisburg recently when a resolution was offered in connection with Lenin's death. The resolution also provided that the state socialists obtain pledges from Congress to recognize the Soviet Government of Russia and the vote for the resolution was lost by more than two to one. Speakers characterized the treatment of the Socialists under the Soviets as being far worse than under the Czar's rule when, it was declared, trials were allowed before condemnation of the accused. From the action taken at the convention it appears that but scant consideration is accorded the Socialists in Russia by the present Soviet regime. In view of this condition obtaining there sympathy and condolence were withheld by the convention from Russia and a platform was adopted and dedicated to the "brain and brawn of the worker" and problems of a social, fiscal and industrial character were dealt with. Reference was made to a conference at St. Louis on Lincoln's Birthday Anniversary of this year and progressive political action was advocated. The welfare of the "wealth producers" and the advancement of the "State" were mentioned as objects for which the State of Pennsylvania Socialists should strive and indication was made that those socialists stand ready to join with labor unions, farmers and all progressive citizens who will work and strive for the welfare of the "wealth producers" and with those interested in the advancement of the State.

"TREASURE ISLAND"

The Hispanic Museum, on Broadway, Washington Heights, New York City, is rich in much that attaches to the romantic period when Spain sent forth sailing ships of exploration, discovery and search for treasure. In the Hispanic Museum are to be found pictures, tapestries, manuscripts and sculptures, all bearing mute evidence of a tradition that belongs to not only Spain, but America and the islands of the Pacific and South Seas. Probably any one who has acted in the capacity of a collector of such art treasures, has heard many legends and stories of hidden wealth that rival the stirring story of Robert Louis Stevenson which still has many a thrill for both old and young alike. Such would appear to be a perfectly natural conclusion concerning such a collector and student as Mr. Archer M. Huntington, when one knows that much credit is due to him for the wonderful display of art objects in the Hispanic Museum. But natural conclusions and inevitable theories become intensely interesting when followed by action which leads to sure adventure. Mr. Huntington and Mrs. Huntington are in quest of Spanish gold, fished from ancient churches and temples of Peru and buried in Cocos Island, according to reports. They sailed from the Port of New York several weeks ago on a specially chartered schooner yacht called the Rosinante upon an expedition for the South Seas in quest of Treasure Island number two. Their yacht left Tebo's yacht basin in Brooklyn and it is hoped that the adventure will rival that of Stephenson's famous crew. It is unknown whether the crew can boast of any member likely to prove an equal to Long John Silver. But the story will be told probably when the yacht Rosinante returns to New York.

ASSASSIN CONVICTED

Revealed before the whole world, as the cold blooded assassin of the theory of "love at first sight", stands a Chicago University professor of psychology, who avers that a man does not fall in love at first sight with a woman; but that he falls in love with her long before ever seeing her. The theory

is advanced that every man, undoubtedly, possesses a mental image of the woman he would like to marry and that that ideal embodies all that is fine in womanhood. Then when a man meets a woman he compares her with an ideal previously possessed and if she matches that ideal he falls in love, as some people think, at first sight; but in reality he has been in love with her for years probably. It is advanced that what he actually does is to fall in love with his ideal and that love continues until he finds that the woman completely fills the qualifications of his ideal, when he unconsciously transfers his affection from the image to the reality. The learned professor in psychology winds up his confession which places him in the class of "assassins" as indicated, of the age-long love at first sight theory, with a final sage observation to the effect that any man who desires to become "ramp proof" should seek out and obtain a "job" as director of a beauty chorus. This may be but another way of saying that "pretty is as pretty does." At any rate it recalls to mind a confession of the gentleman who had seen a pretty face which seemed to match his ideal of beauty. He fingered and listened to each word of her words addressed to her girl companion, feeling certain that refinement and beauty of speech would match her fair face. However, he walked briskly away when she exclaimed to her companion: "Cut out your kiddin', kid."

PLEA AGAINST WAR

At their fourth one-day sales congress this week the life insurance men at the Astor Hotel heard an address by George Gordon Battle, a well known local attorney, in which the speaker declared for a world court, said America should enter an Association of Nations, that the thrifty way for war, and that the insurance men of the nation should do all in their power to prevent the recurrence of another war. It was urged that the United States should enter the Permanent Court of International Justice, as well as an association of nations, as such action would constitute the first two steps toward a better international comprehension. He pointed out that the late President Harding had approved the entrance of this country into the Permanent Court of International Justice and that President Coolidge has expressed his approval of that course of action. The speaker thought that if the United States, Russia and Germany were to become members of the League the result would be a drawing together of nations and a better international co-operation and comprehension. It was pointed out that the force of public opinion is great and that much good would result from debates of questions of international interest. The belief was expressed that there exists no danger to the United States from any super-government or from any control because of participation in a world league, for this nation is a great credit to the world, has the greatest material resources and would be in the very nature of things destined to lead rather than follow in such an association.

Statistics were given indicating that in 1923 there were \$55,000,000,000 worth of life insurance in force in this country and that there are now about 57,000,000 policy holders in the United States. The State superintendent of Insurance in a report recently submitted to the State Legislature referred, among other things, to the two great disasters of 1923—the conflagration at Berkeley, California and the earthquake in Japan—and advised that the American insurance companies were not affected seriously thereby. The prediction was expressed that the branches of the Japanese companies in America will not suffer

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New Admiral Is To Be Legion Tiffin Guest

Admiral Thomas Washington, Commander-in-Chief of the American Asiatic fleet, who has recently arrived in port on the flagship Huron, will be one of the guests of honor at the Tiffin to be given at the Hotel Parisien on Friday by Frederick Ward Post of the American Legion.

The Tiffin is being given in honor of Admiral Washington and M. Wilden, Consul-General for France. In addition to Admiral Washington and Consul-General Wilden, guests of the Executive Committee of the Legion will include Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham, Judge Milton D. Purdy, Executive Consul Davis, and Mr. S. Pesenden, Chairman of the Municipal Council.

Reservations should be made today with Mr. Gardner Crane, 13 Ezra Road; Mr. R. S. Cavin, American Express Company, or Mr. Larry Lahrbaas, The China Press.

P. And O. Vessel Hits Cleveland In River Accident

There was a shipping accident in the river yesterday when the P. and O. steamer Soudan, en route to the deep hole off the Garden Bridge, caught the stern of the Pacific Mail liner Cleveland. The Cleveland suffered only to the extent of a couple of loosened plates, well above the water line, and the damage was thus inconsequential. It is believed that the crash was caused by the Soudan being caught by the tide sweep while swinging.



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LONG RANGES COMPETITION

Members of the S.R.A. are reminded that competition for the above long ranges competitions (700 and 500 yards) will take place on Friday, 25th inst., as follows: 6:30 to 7:30 a.m. 700 yards and 5:50 to 9 a.m. 500 yards; one sighter and seven scoring shots at each distance. This competition is open only to those who have a permit.

Liang Shih-yi Is Guest At Reception At London Legation

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Chu Chao-hsin held a reception at the Chinese Legation yesterday in honor of Mr. Liang Shih-yi and the Hongkong representatives at the British Empire Exhibition. A hundred and fifty Far Eastern guests were present.

FUH TAN GAMES TO GIVE LINE ON WUCHANGENTRIES

Nash Says All Will Have Opportunity For Try Outs

The following letter was received yesterday from Mr. W. L. Nash, chairman of the East China Intercollegiate Athletic Association Games Committee: "The committee of the E. C. I. A. chose Fuhtan University Basketball team to represent the Association in a play off challenge series some time ago. Since then Fuhtan has seen fit to merge with the 'All Whites' and St. John's the only team that had challenged the Fuhtan team has withdrawn the Challenge. A letter from Mr. Sung of St. John's states that the Faculty are not willing for their team to play at this time. This leaves the Fuhtan-All White team the only contenders for the honor so the committee feels that they should accept this combined team as the one to represent East China in the National Meet at Wuchang. "There is still some confusion in the minds of some as to who may go to the National Meet. Any amateur may go to Wuchang who cares to enter the events and pay his own expenses. The E. C. I. A. has no jurisdiction whatever over the entries there. We are only trying to help in indicating the most worthy ones to represent our section and to arrange to finance them if we can. "At the time of the E. C. I. A. A. Track meet at Fuhtan University, May 9-10, an opportunity will be given for any one in East China to match his skill and see whether or not it would be worth while for him to go to Wuchang. These open events in Track, Base Ball, Tennis, Valley Ball, Football etc. are open to College, Middle School, Alumni, and business men. Any one who is an amateur is invited to join in this meet."

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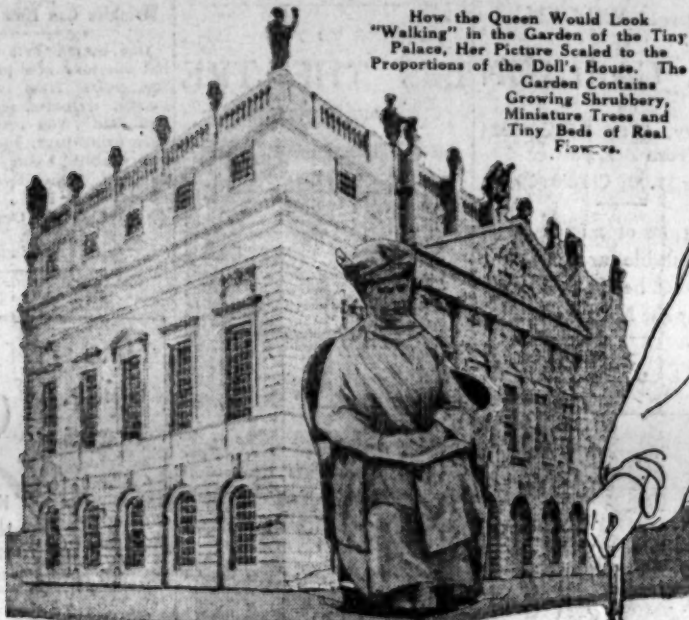
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All About the Queen's Doll House

THE tiniest house ever built, in which everything is practical—a miniature masterpiece of realism—has just been completed in England for Queen Mary. They call it the Queen's Doll House—not that it is intended as a doll's house—but because it is so tiny. It was built by the leading craftsmen, artists and authors of the British Empire, and represents, on a scale of one inch to a foot, just the kind of mansion in which the King and Queen of England might like to live. Two thousand persons working over a period of two years created this amazing piece of craftsmanship for the coming Empire Exhibition at Wembley Park, London, this summer. The palace is five feet high. It has its own electric light plant, which supplies illumination through miniature globes. Push-buttons of pinhead size ring silvery bells.

How the Queen Would Look "Walking" in the Garden of the Tiny Palace, Her Picture Scaled to the Proportions of the Doll's House. The Garden Contains Growing Shrubbery, Miniature Trees and Tiny Beds of Real Flowers.



Queen Mary, Seated on a Chair in Front of the Doll's House, the Picture of the Queen Being of the Same Proportions as the Little Palace. As Will Be Seen, Her Shoulders Reach Above the Second Story, and the Top of Her Head Almost to the Roof.

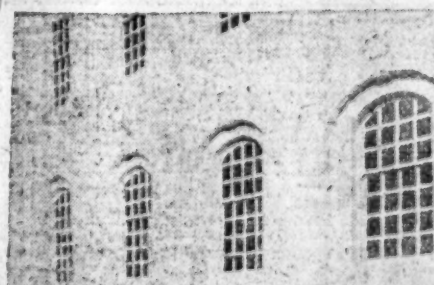
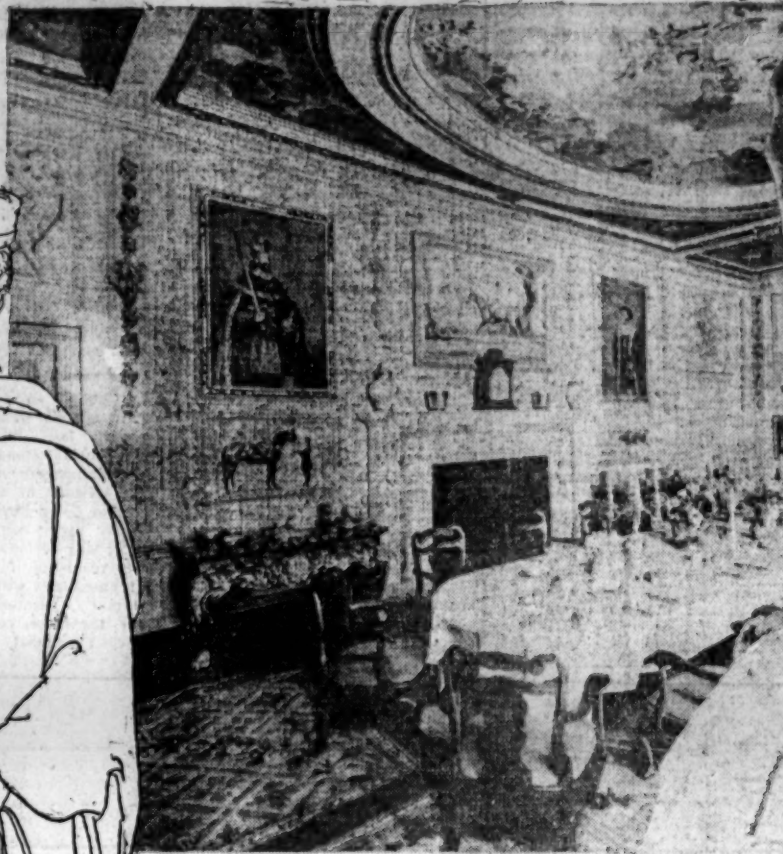


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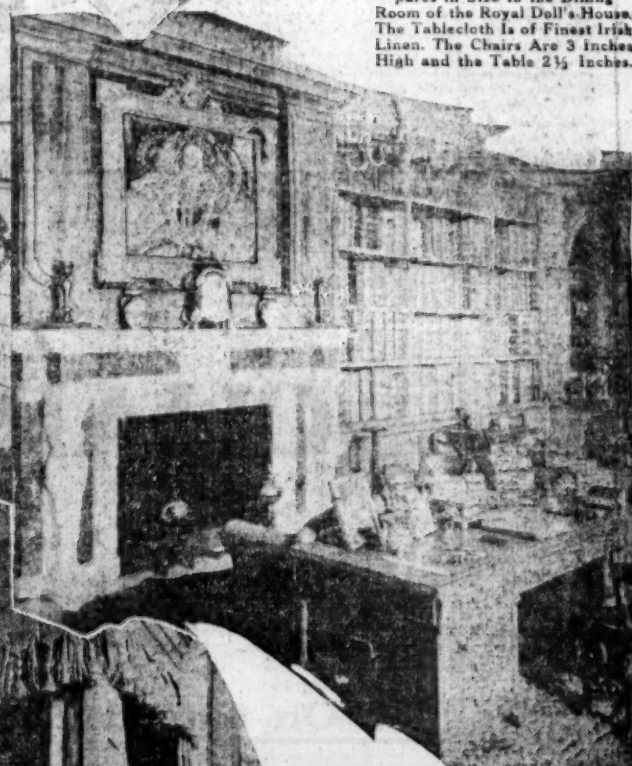


The Nursery is Over the Queen's Apartment. The Chairs Are 1 1/2 Inches High, and the Toys of Microscopic Size, but All Practical. The Little Piano is a Replica of a Famous Make. Its Wires Are as Fine as Silken Threads, but Are

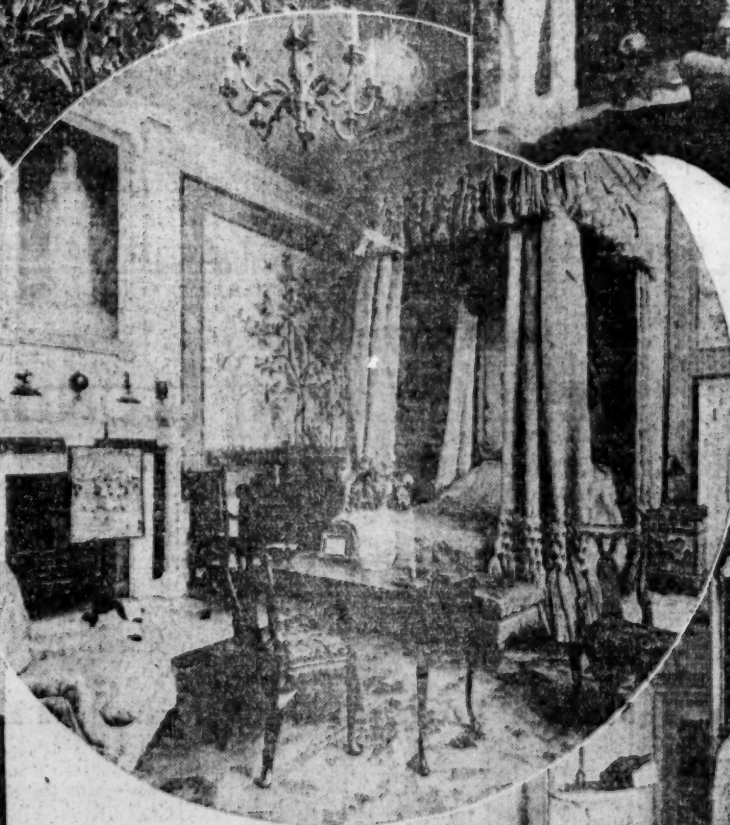
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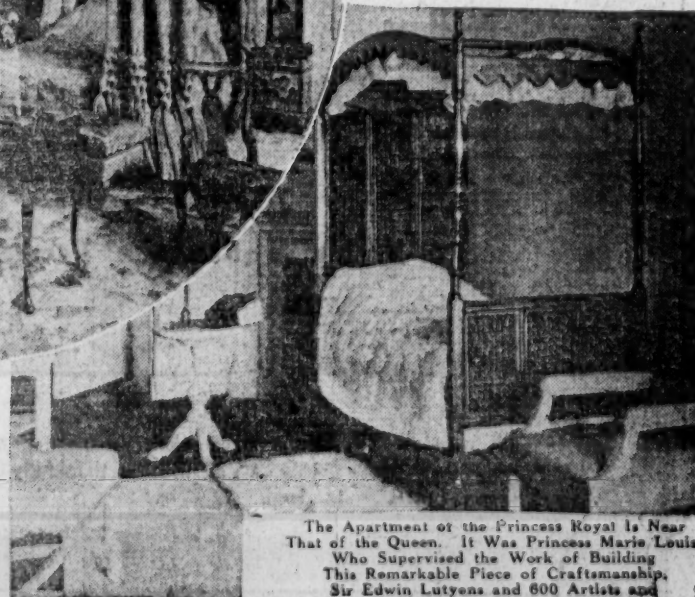
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The Apartment of the Princess Royal is Near That of the Queen. It Was Princess Marie Louise Who Supervised the Work of Building This Remarkable Piece of Craftsmanship. Sir Edwin Lutyens and 600 Artists and 170 Authors Assisted Her.

Good Taste In Dressing

No. 5—THE IMPORTANCE OF THE RIGHT SHOES

Superficially speaking, shoes seem like a comparatively unimportant item of dress. Of course, there are any number of engaging models and styles of shoes if one's purse will allow unlimited choice. But sometimes when our purses are slender we are inclined to consider that if we can have what we want in the way of frocks, hats and the like, our shoes will more or less take care of themselves.

Now it is true, of course, that a number of pairs of shoes is not absolutely essential. A pair for dress and one for every day will do. There is, however, one detail that should never be overlooked. Those shoes should always be well-polished and trim. In no other country is the opportunity for keeping one's shoes immaculate as great as in our own. One searches almost in vain for a shoe shining stand in Paris. The two exceptions where one almost cannot go around in dusty shoes are Spain and Northern Africa where one is constantly besieged by persistent little boys whose whole idea in life seems to be to polish one's shoes.

Notice the next woman you see who has that well-groomed



appearance that is such a delight. Look at her shoes. I vow they will be trim and clean. It is only the careless woman who will give time and thought to her clothes and then overlook the condition of her footwear.

Watch your heels. Don't wear them when they are run over at the sides. Not only are they unsightly, spoiling the most carefully thought out costume, but they also are dangerous. The worn side becomes smooth and slippery and can easily be the cause of a severe fall.

Look carefully at a flat or very lowheeled shoe before you buy it if your foot is inclined to be flat with little or no arch and a low

instep. Such a shoe will heighten this. It is better to select a shoe with a heel. By which I do not mean an enormously high heel. I have heard more than one woman say in one breath that she cannot wear low heels because they tire her feet and with the next that she is fatigued and nervous. And little wonder, she becomes nervous and tired thumping around all day on high, uncompromising heels. It is true that she may not be comfortable the first few times she wears low heels, because she is not accustomed to them. But it is a matter of only a very short time when she will greatly appreciate the comfort of this more sensible shoe for constant wear. Leave the high heels for dress occasions when not so much walking is required.

Do not overlook the fact that the question of appropriateness applies to shoes as it does to every other item of dress. High-heeled shoes should never be worn with a tailored suit any more than brown sports oxfords should be combined with an afternoon dress.

Another point to watch is your ankles. The woman whose ankles are inclined to be large must limit herself in her choice of footwear. Spats should on no account be worn, for they give a bulkiness that makes the ankles seem thicker. She should not wear white stockings, which also make the ankles look bigger. And she should never wear stockings of a different color from her

shoes. Her aim, in short, should be to make her feet as inconspicuous as possible.

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Legations Refute Story Of Beating Soldier Assailant

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 19.—Reuter's Agency is authorized by the President of the Administrative Commission of the Diplomatic Quarter to say that the statement that has appeared in the Chinese Press to the effect that the soldier who assaulted Mr. Campbell and other foreigners on Sunday last had previously been punished by the Legation Police with forty strokes of the bamboo for trespassing on the City Wall is absolutely without foundation in fact.

On the occasion of this man's first arrest by the Legation Police he was at once handed over to the Chinese authorities, when he was arrested the second time on a charge of assault he was detained in the police station pending instructions from the Dean of the Diplomatic Body as to his disposal. On neither occasion did he receive any punishment whatsoever at the hands of the Legation Police.

CABINET ACTS ON PROTEST OF KIANGSI GENTRY

Urge Local Authorities To Abolish Licensing Of Drug-Dealers

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 19.—A telegram has been sent by the Cabinet to General Tsai Cheng-hsun stating that a petition from Kiangsi gentry in Peking the Kiangsi authorities have established an antipollution bureau which issues licenses to merchants to deal in morphia, white pills and other noxious drugs. The petition requests the Central Government to suppress this institution. In furtherance of this object Kiangsi gentry made demonstrations before the Presidential Palace and the Cabinet Office. At these meetings great indignation was shown.

The Cabinet points out that traffic in noxious drugs is prohibited by law, while several special proclamations have been issued emphasizing the necessity for the citizens of the Republic to observe these laws.

If the facts are as reported not only will serious harm be done to residents of Kiangsi but the circumstances will invite international protests. The Cabinet, therefore, requests the Kiangsi Provincial authorities

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Our Scottish Letter

New Glasgow Docks: Sahara Hero And Kirkwall: Wireless In Schools: Glasgow Professor Honored: A Link With The '45

Glasgow, March 1.—The Committee of Management of the Clyde Navigation Trust have decided to place the contract for the construction of the quay walls of No. 1 basin at Shieldhall with Messrs. Shanks and M'Ewan, Glasgow.

The new basin will be the first and smallest of the series of five which the trustees propose to construct ultimately in the grounds of Shieldhall, between Shieldhall and Renfrew. It will have a water area of 40½ acres, a depth at low water of 32 feet, and a width of 350 feet. The three quay walls—sides and end—will have a total length of 5,750 feet. The basin will be utilised for shipping as it is completed and the construction of another basin will be considered when it is found that still more accommodation is called for by the trade of the port. When all the basins are completed—perhaps 20 or 30 years hence—seven miles of quays will have been added to the harbour, and the new docks will be used for the largest vessels trading with the port, leaving the present docks for the smaller vessels and the coastal and trading steamers. Provision is also made in the plans for the construction of large graving docks.

SAHARA HERO

Captain Buchanan, the Sahara hero, whom Orcadians are proud to remember as son of Kirkwall, is to be the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the Orkney and Shetland Society on April 12th. The Society is the oldest of the Scottish county associations in London, having been instituted 104 years ago. Mr. T. McKinnon Wood, Secretary for Scotland in the Asquith government, is president.

WIRELESS IN SCHOOLS

A demonstration of the use of broadcasting in schools was given in Garnethbank School, Renfrew Street, Glasgow, when, in the presence of a number of pupils and of persons interested in education a special program consisting of speech and music, was received from the Glasgow station of the British Broadcasting Company. Sir Charles J. Cleland, chairman of the Glasgow Education Authority and of the Educational Advisory Committee attached to the Glasgow broadcasting station, presided.

The demonstration was the outcome of a movement initiated by the B. B. C. to develop the educational side of broadcasting. To this end advisory committees have been formed in connection with each station, and to the Glasgow committee, in co-operation with the Glasgow Education Authority, falls the honor of having arranged what is believed to be the first demonstration of this kind.

The results were on the whole satisfactory, though by the installation of permanent apparatus and the selection of a more suitable room, there is no doubt that the reception could have been much improved, but the results obtained sufficed to show what is possible. The first step has shown what may be achieved, and there is little doubt that in a comparatively short time, broadcasting will be added to the agencies recognised as contributing to the progress of education.

HONOR PROFESSOR

Professor George Gerald Henderson, Regius Professor of Chemistry in Glasgow University, has been nominated to succeed Mr. A. Chaston Chapman as president of the Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland.

A native of Glasgow, where he was born in 1862, Professor Henderson's academic life has all been associated with his native city. Already he is a vice-president of the Institute, a past president of the Society of Chemical Industry, and a past vice-president of the Chemical Society. He served for several years as honorary secretary of the Scottish Section of the Society of Chemical Industry before he occupied the chair. He has also acted successively as secretary, recorder, and president of Section B (Chemistry) of the British Association.

A LINK WITH THE '45

Bong's Mill, Redhall, Edinburgh, which was almost totally destroyed by fire a week ago, was noteworthy as being the place of manufacture of the paper for the first Scottish banknotes printed at the beginning of the eighteenth century. When the paper millers deserted it, other millers, flour, meal, and snuff, followed and at the time of the fire the mill was engaged in the grinding of wood flour for high explosives.

Famous in their own time as some of its occupants were, they all fade into insignificance today when compared with one young man who spent a night or two there—Prince Charles Edward Stuart. In 1745 when Prince Charles marched south he skirted the Scottish capital on its west side, and halting at Graysmill, as it was then, sent an ultimatum to the Lord Provost of Edinburgh demanding the city's immediate surrender. Out post haste came the City Fathers to negotiate, but Prince Charles asked for a peaceful entrance, and to make sure that he got it, he sent Lochell with 900 of the Cameron men to occupy the city. How the Netherbow Port was captured by strategy and an entrance to the city effected is now history, and the next night Prince Charles entered the city as a victor and took up his residence in Holyrood House.

Y.W.C.A. Campaign Workers To Meet

The Finance Committee of the Y. W. C. A. will give a tiffin at the Carlton today at 12.30 for workers in the drive and invited guests. The drive for funds, which opens tomorrow, will be discussed and final plans for "putting it over" polished up at the tiffin.

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Coalition Movement In Japan Grows Weaker As General Election Nears

Signs Point To Straining Of Ties Which Bind Together Opponents Of Government—Difficulties Due To Distribution Of Seats

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 15.—With the General Elections only a month distant, activities in the rival political camps are increasing, and strenuous efforts are being made by the party candidates to win favor among the electors.

As has already been pointed out, the present election campaign is remarkable for an attempted coalition on the part of the three major parties, Seiyukai, Kenmeikai, and Kakushin Club, in order to oust the present Government.

Signs are not lacking, however, that the ties binding the parties together are weakening. The alliance was born at a moment of the bitterest disappointment, because on the downfall of the Yamamoto cabinet, the claims of party leaders were flatly disregarded by those with whom the choice of Premier in this country rests.

It was freely predicted at the time that such a combination could hardly survive the burden and heat of an election campaign, and the latest reports from the constituencies seem to indicate that this prediction is coming true.

The political columns of the Tokio press are giving prominence to reports of an increasing estrangement between the Kenmeikai on the one side, and the Seiyukai and the Kakushin Club on the other, the reason for the difficulties incurred in making an equal distribution of the seats among the three parties.

Party interests will obtrude themselves and thus threaten to wreck the common cause. The Kenmeikai is being accused by its parties of nursing its own interests, and in so doing en-

croaching on the preserves of its "allies."

Still more, there would appear, according to reports, to be an inclination on the part of the Kenmeikai, to shake hands with the Seiyuhonto, that section of the Seiyukai which deserted the last Cabinet crisis in January, and decided to throw in its lot with the Kiyoura Government.

Nothing, it is admitted, would suit the Government's book better than this, and efforts are being made, it is rumored, to bring about some such understanding, as the assurance of combined Kenmeikai-Seiyuhonto support would be very acceptable, and guarantee the stability of the present Ministry.

Alarmed at this possibility, the leaders of the Seiyukai and Kakushin Club are devising means by which a three party conference can be summoned and the triple alliance against the Government once more consolidated.

Authentic information puts the number of candidates in the field at present at 950. These are distributed as follows, though only a few over one third of the number have as yet been formally adopted by their respective parties:

Party	Candidates Adopted
Seiyukai	196 105

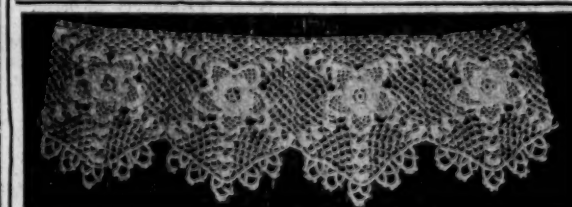
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Kakushin Club	70	41
Seiyuhonto	246	71
Businessmen's Party	29	17
Kaikokai (Militarist)		
Reservist	40	10
Independents	129	

Others are expected to come forward, so that by the time the campaign is in full swing, there will probably be over 1,300 candidates for election.

Motor Car Roads In Chihli Approved

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 19.—The Cabinet meeting today was attended by all Ministers with the exception of Mr. Wang Keh-min. The Premier presided. Regulations consisting of seven articles governing the construction of motor car roads in Chihli, Shantung and Honan Provinces were approved. Marshal Wu Pei-fu is Tungan of this scheme, and the Tulla and Civil Governors are to be appointed Associate Directors.



O.I.C.

Children's Party At 'Y' Saturday

There will be a Children's Party at the Navy Y. M. C. A. on Saturday afternoon of this week at 3 o'clock. The American sailors will be guests of the children. This will be a pleasant touch of home for the sailors; to enjoy the society of kiddies from "home" for an hour or two. There will be shows, games and romps. And to make it a real children's treat, there will be confetti, balloons and sweets. Parents are invited to come and bring their children.

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1 "	of Mex. \$	300
1 "	of Mex. \$	100
1 "	of Mex. \$	50
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214	Total	\$5,000

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Notice:—Our second drawing takes place on the 28th April, 1924, at 2:00 p.m.



The China Press

SHANGHAI, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1924



Business and Official Notices

Special Notice to Mariners

No. 702

Shanghai District—Yangtze River

Marine Department Chart No. 2
New Edition

A new edition of the following Marine Department Chart is now on sale at the Coast Inspector's Office:—

No. 2—Yangtze River (Sheet 1): Woosung to Plover Point, including the Tsungming Crossing. New edition, 1st April, 1924. Price \$2.

S. V. MILLS,
Deputy Coast Inspector,
for Coast Inspector,
THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
Marine Department,
Shanghai, 22nd April, 1924.
67046 A 23

Cercle Sportif Francais

Subscribers to the 7-1923 Loan of the CERCLE SPORTIF FRANCAIS who have paid up the total amount of their subscription and who are not in possession of their Debentures are invited to send in their provisional receipts to the Secretary.

The corresponding certificates will then be forwarded to them.

By order of the Committee,
H. BERTHELOT,
Secretary.
67266 A 25

NOTICE

Owing to my departure from Shanghai the Power of Attorney issued by me on the 15th September, 1920, in favor of Messrs. J. SPUNT & CO., Shanghai, will be cancelled as from May 15th, 1924.

(Signed) MAURICE SIMMONS,
67235 A 25

S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT" Voy. No. 64-West from Seattle

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "President Grant" Voy. No. 64-West, will be held at the China Merchants' Central Wharf on Friday, April 25th, 1924 at 9.00 a.m. when Messrs. Elsie, Reeves & Murphy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors will be in attendance.

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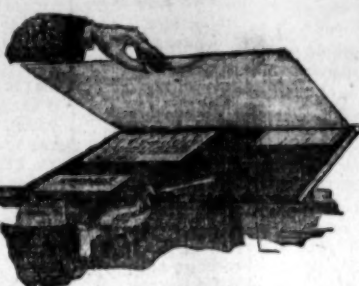
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A special rebate of 15% will be allowed at the Pootung Wharves on the increased Tariff.
China Merchants' Lower, Central, Eastern, and Yangkadeu Wharves, Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co's Hongkew, Old Ningpo, and Pootung Wharves,
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4°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from May 1st 1924.

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5°.—Applications for Debentures under par (Tls. 100) will not be recognised by the Council.

6°.—For further information, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 22nd April 1924.

By order,

P. LEGENDRE

Secretary.

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107th MEETING

3rd May, 1924

(Saturday)

First Saddling Bell at 1.30 p.m. Sharp

ATTENTION TO MEMBERS.

ENTRIES for all events close at 7 p.m. on Friday, 25th April, 1924, at the Club House, No. 126, Bubbling Well Road.

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Financial And Commercial News

Money Exchange

Shanghai, April 22, 1924

Met. Dollar market rate	71.8873
Native Interest	16
Copper Cash	265.500
Shanghai Gold Bar	277.50
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	49.75
New York on London	434.4
London:	
Telegraphic Transfer	3 1/2%
Demand	3 1/2%
New York:	
Telegraphic Transfer	68%
Demand	70

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(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

Monday, Yesterday's	
3rd Year 6%	96.50 96.50
5th Year 6%	72.00 72.50
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9th Year 6%	83.15 83.60
6% Consolidated	70.90 71.80
7% Consolidated	77.30 78.50
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90 Millions 8%	23.30 23.30

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Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, April 22, 1924

OFFICIAL

S.M.C. 8% Debs 1921	Ts. 110.00
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UNOFFICIAL

S.M.C. 8% Debs 1921	Ts. 110.00
Langkats (Comb.)	Ts. 25.50
Shanghai Lands	Ts. 119.00

Shanghai Shareholders Association

Business Done

Shanghai, April 22, 1924

UNOFFICIAL

Telephones	Ts. 78.00
Hall & Holtz Ltd.	\$5.00

Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis and Co. yesterday received the following cable quotations of Hongkong stocks:
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp. \$1.165 buyers.
Hongkong Land Investment Co. \$2.10 sellers.
Union Insurance of Canton \$2.44 sellers.
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharfs \$1.66 buyers.
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. \$1.50 buyers.
Green Island Cement Co. (old) \$2.44 sellers.
Green Island Cement Co. (new) \$2.44 sellers.
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (old) \$1.9 nominal.
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new) \$1.2 nominal.
China Sugar Refinery Co. \$2.43 sellers.

Silk Report

Messrs. William Little and Co., Ltd. report under date April 17: Our last report was dated 11th inst.

America came into the market at the close of last week to the extent of 300-400 bales Steam Filature New Season. Further business did not eventuate and the market is easier again, prices ruling mixed with weak spots here and there. The further decline in Japan is depressing the market further. Lyons continues to take a few bales now and again.

Other descriptions are neglected on the easy side.
Mienchew Filatures—Best 13-15 Ts. 1.100.
Tusah Filatures 8 coc. are weak. No. 1 grade Ts. 537 1/2.

FEAR OF RENEWED JAPAN SILK SLUMP PROVOKES ALARM

Closure Of Filatures For 10 Days Fails To Yield Expected Gains

Tokio, April 6.—Japanese silk filatures, which had been closed since March 25 in accordance with their owners' recent resolution, resumed operations yesterday morning. The arrivals at Yokohama, which had been pretty large even during the ten days of closure, was feared to show a steep increase soon. The general sentiment of the Yokohama market grew worse.

It was repeatedly stated by leaders of the silk trade that the market regained stability it might be enlivened with new business. This argument sustained the silk market's morale during the days filatures close, and yesterday when the term expired and all filatures resumed operations, it was found that that argument was devoid of foundation. During the ten days the market failed to witness any buying revival.

Friday morning the stock at Yokohama was up to 56,862 boxes. The weight of the stock was already unbearably heavy. It was feared that when the filatures begin forwarding their products the stock might soon be far beyond that or 60,000 boxes. This fear was found well justified Friday, as on Thursday, the day's net arrival surpassed 1,000 boxes and reached 1,319 boxes.

It was admitted by the market that the closure of filatures was virtually a failure. Opinion obtained in the market that unless another period of closure was decided upon, it might lead to a fearful slump. Exporters in particular, entertained this view of the future. According to some of them, filature owners may be in greater need of ready capital as their working funds are thus tied up in the stock at Yokohama and sooner or later they will be forced to dump.

In these circumstances the sentiment on the Yokohama Exchange was worse, but some brokers bravely bulled, trying to stem the tide of slump. As their attitude was resolute sellers refrained from being very active. During the forenoon the price was fairly well maintained, although occasionally it betrayed a disposition to fall away. Future deliveries often threatened to come down below Y.180, but stayed above this figure. In the afternoon, when courageous buyers were less active, the chance was seized upon by sellers. As the market's circumstances were all favorable to them, all their operations were successful. The price was being forced down all through the afternoon and just before the closure of the day future deliveries were almost on the point of coming down below the level.

Exporters found it again advisable to wait and see. Although the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and some other leading firms showed themselves interested in buying in the afternoon, their prices were too low for sellers to accept. It was generally believed that unless heavy sacrifice was paid by sellers business might not revive soon.

According to yesterday's New York despatch, the visible stock of raw silk in New York on April 1 was up to 30,375 bales, a decrease by 9,851 bales compared with the beginning of March. The importation of raw silk into the United States reached 16,692 bales, a decrease by 8,940 bales, as compared with February. The consumption of raw silk in the United States in March amounted to 26,543 bales, a decrease by 3,261 bales, as compared with February.

This New York report was favorable in a way, but it failed to affect the Yokohama market in any way yesterday.

Hongkong Shares

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts are in receipt of the following quotations from their Hongkong office by cable of yesterday:
H'kong Banks Buyers H.\$1.165
H'kong Wharves " H. \$1.68
H'kong Docks " H. \$1.55
Cements Sellers H. \$ 26
Ex. Rights " H. \$ 242
China Sugars " H. \$ 242
H'kong Lands " H. \$ 110

New U. S. Cotton Act

(Reuter's Service)

Shanghai, April 22.—The following is the full text of the new United States Cotton Act, signed on April 2:

AN ACT

To amend the Act entitled "An Act authorizing the Director of the Census to collect and publish statistics of cotton," approved July 22, 1912.

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the Director of the Census, be and he is hereby, authorized and directed to collect and publish statistics concerning the amount of cotton ginned: the quantity of raw cotton consumed in manufacturing establishments of every character; the quantity of baled cotton on hand; the number of active consuming cotton spindles; the number of active spindle hours, and the quantity of cotton imported and exported, with the country of origin and destination.

Sec. 2. That the statistics of the quantity of cotton ginned shall show the quantity ginned from each crop prior to August 1, August 16, September 1, September 16, October 1, October 16, November 1, November 16, December 1, December 16, January 1, January 16, and March 1. Provided, that the Director of the Census may limit the canvasses of August 1 and August 16, to those sections of the cotton-growing States in which cotton has been ginned.

The quantity of cotton consumed in manufacturing establishments, the quantity of baled cotton on hand, the number of active consuming cotton spindles, the number of active spindle hours, and the statistics of cotton imported and exported shall relate to each calendar month, and shall be published as soon as possible after the close of the month. Each report published by the Bureau of the Census of the quantity ginned shall carry with it the latest available statistics concerning the quantity of cotton consumed, stocks of baled cotton on hand, the number of cotton-consuming spindles, and the quantity of cotton imported and exported.

All of these publications containing statistics of cotton shall be mailed by the Director of the Census to all cotton ginners, cotton manufacturers, and cotton warehousemen, and to all daily newspapers throughout the United States. The Director of the Census shall furnish to the Department of Agriculture, immediately prior to the publication of each report of that bureau regarding the cotton crop, the latest available statistics hereinbefore mentioned, and the said Department of Agriculture shall publish the same in connection with each of its reports concerning cotton.

Sec. 3. That the information furnished by any individual establishment under the provisions of this Act shall be considered as strictly confidential and shall be used only for the statistical purpose for which it is supplied. Any employee of the Bureau of the Census who, without the written authority of the Director of the Census, shall publish or communicate any information given into his possession by reason of his employment under the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than \$300 or more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for a period of not exceeding one year, or both so fined and imprisoned, at the discretion of the court.

Sec. 4. That it shall be the duty of every owner, president, treasurer, secretary, director, or other officer or agent of any cotton gin, warehouse, or other place where cotton is ginned, manufactured, or stored, whether conducted as a corporation, firm, limited partnership, or by individuals, when requested by the Director of the Census or by any special agent or other employee of the Bureau of the Census acting under the instructions of said director, to furnish completely and correctly, to the best of his knowledge, all of the information concerning the quantity of cotton ginned, consumed, or on hand, and the number of cotton-consuming spindles, and active spindle hours. The request of the Director of the Census for information concerning the quantity of cotton ginned or consumed, stocks of cotton on hand, and number of spindles and spindle hours may be made in writing or by a visiting representative, and it made in writing shall be forwarded by registered mail, and the registry receipt of the Post Office Department shall be accepted as evidence of such demand. Any owner, president, treasurer, secretary, director, or other officer or agent of any

cotton gin, warehouse, or other place where cotton is ginned or stored, who, under the conditions hereinbefore stated, shall refuse or willfully neglect to furnish any of the information herein provided for or shall willfully give answers that are false shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than \$300 or more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for a period of not exceeding one year, or both so fined and imprisoned, at the discretion of the court.

Sec. 5. That in addition to the information regarding cotton in the United States hereinbefore provided for, the Director of the Census shall compile, by correspondence or the use of published reports and documents, any available information concerning the production, consumption, and stocks of cotton in foreign countries, and the number of cotton-consuming spindles in such countries. Each report published by the Bureau of the Census regarding cotton shall contain an abstract of the latest available information obtained under the provisions of this section, and the Director of the Census shall furnish the same to the Department of Agriculture for publication in connection with the reports of that department concerning cotton in the same manner as in the case of statistics relating to the United States.

Sec. 6. That the reports of cotton ginned to the dates as of which the Department of Agriculture is also required to issue cotton crop reports shall be issued simultaneously with the cotton crop reports of that department, the two reports to be issued from the same place at eleven o'clock antemeridian on the eighth day following that on which the respective reports relate. When such date of release falls on Sunday or a legal holiday the reports shall be issued at eleven o'clock antemeridian on the next succeeding workday.

Sec. 7. That the Act of Congress authorizing the Director of the Census to collect and publish statistics of cotton, approved July 22, 1912, and all other laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

George A. Sanderson,
Secretary

Silk Manufacturers In America Chided For Gloomy Views

Silk manufacturers in New York on March 11 were chided for being pessimistic without due cause by officials of the Silk Association of America. Mr. George A. Post, vice-president of the association and chairman of Division D, which takes in the silk fabric manufacturers, and Mr. James A. Goldsmith, president of the association, speaking at a special luncheon meeting of Division D at the Hotel Astor, asserted that the value of silk business at present compares favorably with last year. The lack of forward orders, according to Mr. Goldsmith, has been the cause of undue pessimism in the trade and has shaken the confidence of manufacturers.

The meeting was called primarily to arouse members of Division D in the association and plans were laid for frequent meetings to discuss trade conditions.

The shortening of terms from four to three months in raw silk dealings, which was to go into effect April 1, was discussed at some length, and ardent support was forthcoming from most of the manufacturers present on the ground that it will require more capable financing of raw silk transactions and thus tend to check speculative production, which is an admitted fact at present. It was suggested that the fabric people in turn might shorten their terms.

Mr. Post suggested that the association might profitably establish a credit bureau and an examination bureau to check up on goods returned to manufacturers on the ground of imperfections.

There was only little discussion of raw silk prices and no discussion at all on silk goods prices. Mr. Goldsmith asserted that the competition of artificial silk, or "fios," is so strong that raw silk prices never again will soar to the \$11 a pound basis that was seen a few years ago.

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST Yesterday's Closing Quotations

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. & S. Banks	H.\$1.165 B.
Chartered	£19%
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.\$720 B.
North China	Ts. 140
Union of Canton	H.\$245 S.
Yangtze	H.\$28 1/2 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Ts. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.\$145
Hongkong Fire	H.\$530 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.\$133 1/2
Indo-China Perf.	H.\$38 1/2 B.
"Shell"	62/4
S'hai Tug ord.	Ts. 87 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Ts. 52 1/2 B.
H.C.&M.S.B.Co.Ltd	H.\$40 B.
Star Ferry	H.\$87 B.
Mining	
Kalping	Ts. 20 1/2 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	H.85
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.\$148 1/2 Sa.
Shanghai Dock	Ts. 95 S.
New Eng. Works	Ts. 5 1/2 B.
"Pref."	Ts. 5 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Ts. 192 S.
Hongkong Wharf	H.\$163 1/2 B.
Lands and Hotels	
China Realty ord.	Ts. 50
China Realty Pref	Ts. 50
A-French Land	Ts. 119 B.
Shanghai Land	Ts. 119 B.
Hongkong Lands	H.\$111 S.
Humphreys Estate	Ts. 23 1/2 S.
Carlton Ltd.	Ts. 53
H. & S. Hotel	New H.\$12B.
Cotton Mills	Old H.\$19B.
E-wo (ord.)	
E-wo (pref.)	Ts. 11 1/2 B.
Laou-kung-mgw.	Ts. 106 B.
Oriental	Ts. 6 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Ts. 5
Industrials	
Bulter Tiles	Ts. 25
China Sugar	H.\$246
Green Island	H.\$30 1/2 S.
Langkats	Ts. 25 1/2
Major Bros.	Ts. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Ts. 105
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Ts. 6
Llewellyn	Ts. 35
Lane Crawford	Ts. 106 1/2 B.
Moutrie	\$70
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China's Wasted Man-Power

THE Peking police, in making the annual registration of rickshas, has just announced that 35,000 vehicles have been already counted and it is estimated that, on this basis, the total in the capital will reach 70,000. All but 7,000 of these rickshas belong to companies that lease them out to the coolies, who pay between 20 and 30 coppers per day hire. It is estimated that over 200,000 people are dependent upon the livelihood gained by these ricksha coolies, who average about 100 coppers per day out of which they have to pay the hiring fee to the owner. Thus, out of 60 or 70 coppers per day, the coolies support themselves and dependents.

In commenting on the present condition of these ricksha coolies and the effect the tram car lines will have on them, the Chinese press records the depressing fact that less than five per cent. of the coolies ever get enough money saved to set themselves up in trade. The others either die, very often from starvation, or turn criminals to keep themselves alive. While the police have more or less strict regulations as to the pulling of rickshas by too young or too old men, they are generally allowed to lapse either for the purpose of increasing the tax collections or to help the person who needs the employment from which he would be barred by law. As a result, many of these unfit coolies die from exertion.

The above stated facts are a powerful commentary on conditions at the very seat of the so-called Government of China and they incidentally reveal the callous apathy of China's officials in matters affecting the welfare of the populace. The mere fact of the existence of an army of ricksha-pullers in every city and town in China—men who live a life bordering on a living death—is a crushing stigma to the Government and people who suffer such conditions to prevail. The invariable effect produced on the mind of a newcomer to this region of the world when he sees little slips of boys and decrepit old men between the shafts of rickshas is most demoralizing. The human mind reels in contemplating human beings performing tasks usually assigned to beasts of burden. There is no question that there is a distinct element of degradation in the pulling of rickshas, both for the puller and the one who is pulled, that is to say if the latter happens to have a finely organized nature.

While rickshas might have been a necessity when the streets in China were mere wheelbarrow tracks, the advent of the motor car, bus and tram car has rendered the necessity less imperative, and the average foreigner would look upon the disappearance of the ricksha with little sorrow, even at the risk of a little inconvenience at first. It seems grimly grotesque that China should waste such valuable man-power, which could be applied to a worthier purpose. In the north, many farm laborers are attracted by the seemingly higher profits from pulling rickshas than working on the farms, and that has caused a labor shortage on the land, thereby raising the price of food, so that this, in turn, reacts on the poor people generally.

If the so-called Government of China were one worthy of the name, it would divert the energy now wasted between the shafts of rickshas along more constructive channels, such as conservancy work, irrigation, road-building and the many other avenues which furnish scope for social reform. The Government seems to think that it does not owe a duty towards the submerged humanity represented by the ricksha coolies. Conditions such as these are precisely the conditions which breed banditry and other forms of lawlessness in China.

Mr. Poincare's Stand

IF M. POINCARE'S message to the Reparations Commission means anything at all, it means that he has fallen in with the wish of the committee of experts, endorsed by the action of the British government, that their recommendations should be accepted or not at all. The experts committee, it will be remembered formulated their report in a series of recommendations, but added the warning that they would accept no responsibility for the results of any partial adoption of the measures they proposed. The French Premier, with that logical development of the attitude he has consistently adopted expresses the opinion that a number of preliminary measures must be carried out before the present pledges in the Ruhr can be exchanged for others. Such changes, he says, must be dependent upon the agreement of the other Allies to the application of sanctions in the event of default by Germany.

The more we consider the attitude of Germany during the years since the signing of the Peace Treaty, the more it becomes apparent that only dire necessity will oblige her to meet the demands made upon her in that singularly unfortunate instrument. It is true that Germany has by word of mouth accepted in principle the findings of the experts, and equally true that her prime minister has announced that the time has come for Germany to be prepared to make substantial sacrifices to bring the present state of affairs to an end. But that cannot be regarded by the French as in any way a proper substitute from the advantageous position they have secured by the occupation of the Ruhr.

It might very well be that, in the preliminary negotiations for the eventual application of sanctions, when necessary, disagreement will again be found. For any sanctions in the nature of military pressure, or involving the use of arms is unlikely to arouse quite that amount of fervour necessary to secure the whole-hearted co-operation of the Allies. On the other hand it is clear

that France will not surrender her hold on the Ruhr until she is adequately safeguarded in other directions, and no one who realises her position in the matter, and how eventually she was proved to be correct in the views which she held, would deny her this means of ensuring German compliance with the dictates of the Allies.

How The U.S. & British Governments Pay Their Diplomats

A SERIOUS attempt is being made during the present session of Congress in Washington to reorganise the American diplomatic and consular services through combining the two branches of the State Department into a unified Foreign Service of the United States. A bill to this effect known as the "Rogers Bill" has received considerable attention and it is hoped that the measure will receive approval before the close of the present session of Congress.

In connection with the consideration of this measure, the Committee on Foreign Relations of the House of Representatives has just issued a pamphlet of some 200 pages which contains the testimony which has been presented to the Committee dealing with the bill. In this pamphlet are statements by Secretary of State Hughes, testimony of several members or former members of the American diplomatic service such as Mr. John W. Davis, former Ambassador to Great Britain, Mr. Hugh Gibson, Minister to Poland, and so on, all urging the need of improving the U. S. foreign service and placing it on a par with that of other nations. One of the most interesting items in the book is a rather complete analysis of the British diplomatic service containing comparative figures covering the salaries received by British and American ambassadors and ministers, of which the following table is a good example:—

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Bulgaria	17,032	10,000
Chile	23,359	*17,500
China	*24,332	*12,000
Colombia	14,399	10,000
Cuba	19,012	*12,000
Czechoslovakia	19,466	10,000
Denmark	21,899	10,000
Egypt	*58,298	7,500
Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania	18,006	10,000
Finland	18,735	10,000
France	*80,297	17,500
Germany	*38,932	17,500
Great Britain	—	17,500
Greece	19,466	10,000
Italy	*38,932	17,500
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Poland	27,252	12,000
Portugal	19,466	10,000
Rumania	19,466	10,000
Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes	18,979	10,000
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Spain	*29,199	17,500
Sweden	21,899	10,000
Switzerland	*18,248	10,000
Turkey	42,581	*17,500
United States	*97,330	—
Uruguay	20,439	10,000
Venezuela	14,599	10,000

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Wu Pei-fu's Decline

RECENT despatches from Changsha have indicated that General Wu Pei-fu is getting a grip on Hunan and the present Tsuchun is expected shortly to capitulate, which means more needless bloodshed. There was a time, and that not long ago, when the name of Wu Pei-fu was one to conjure with. His decisive victory over Marshal Chang Tso-lin at Changsintien invested the General's figure with a sort of glamor, and by not a few it is felt that this has spoiled him. He was hailed at the time as the "savior" of China, but the keenest observers of current political trends in central China are inclined to believe that Wu has been placed in the balance—and found wanting.

We have been reading the reflections of a Hankow contemporary, at the head of which is a gifted scribe whose mordant wit is almost daily brought into play when dealing with matters Chinese. The subject dealt with on this occasion was the fiftieth birthday of General (or is it Marshal?) Wu Pei-fu which has been celebrated at Loyang with great eclat. The glories of Wu Pei-fu have been seen in the vast crowds of visitors who have been crowding into Loyang. They have been coming in their hundreds and thousands, whole trainloads of them, and not a mean man amongst them. The Tsuchuns, or their representatives, from half a score of provinces, Cabinet Ministers and generals, parliamentarians—in short all the people who count, or want to, have been there. But it is not love of Wu Pei-fu that has drawn them, but the opportunity to pay court and offer incense at the shrine of a deity who is believed to be both able and willing to reward them richly. Were this not in his power, they would not have gone, and should he meet with mishap they will desert him with all the speed of rats leaving a sinking ship.

The wealth of Wu Pei-fu will be greatly increased by the costly presents the visitors have taken. None of them has gone empty-handed, but treasures of gold, silver, and gems, silks and embroideries have poured in

without stint, and every gift has had the name of the donor attached. Not that Wu Pei-fu is in need of these things, for his wealth must be enormous. The revenues from the provinces which used to go to Peking have been largely diverted into his coffers; the revenues of the railways and other public utilities are sent to him by agents of his own whom he has contrived to place in the necessary positions for the very purpose. If Peking has the luck to secure some money, Wu Pei-fu is after it at once to meet his "military expenses," and generally gets a share, while the ex-Emperor has to go for years without his promised subsidy, and the Government employees are all starving. Every present added to this pile will only be a sprat to catch a mackerel, and if no fish should be caught, an enemy will be made.

The power of Wu Pei-fu is enormous, and has had no parallel since the days when a Roman Emperor could bestow a whole province on any favorite with whom he was pleased. There is no great principle for which Wu Pei-fu is fighting; he is playing for his own hand and is striving to bend all China to his will. Can there be any two opinions as to his ultimate fate? The Tsuchuns of China are probably destined to meet the same fate as Robespierre—they will be vanquished by the very instrument which they have created. The end of tyrants is almost invariably the same. The Tsuchuns of China would do well to take a lesson from the pages of history. There can be no ultimate prosperity where there is moral death.

Senator Johnson's Boom Explodes

SENATOR HIRAM JOHNSON'S boom for the Republican nomination for the presidency seems to have died a-borning and the fire-eating Californian may climb into the political arena to rescue his hat from the rough handling it has been getting. The primaries just held in the United States—including some of the most important Republican states of all—show that despite the oil scandal and the plethora of mud-slinging that has been engaged in by all and sundry President Coolidge retains the confidence of the voters of his party to such an extent that he carried every one of the states.

In Illinois the President carried the state over the California Senator by a vote of almost two to one. The vote was not surprising because it has been shown in previous campaigns that the Californian's strength was only in Chicago. In the heavy downstate precincts among the Illinois farmer-folk he has never been able to gather a following. In previous campaigns the Johnson vote in Chicago has been gathered largely through the influence of the Hearst newspapers, the morning Herald-Examiner and the Evening American, all the other Chicago journals being bitterly opposed to the Senator personally and to his policies. In this campaign Hearst has not been the warm supporter of Johnson that he was four years ago, his chief efforts this year being devoted to booming a favorite for the Democratic nomination.

In Michigan the most surprising feature of the primary elections was the severe set-back Johnson received in Detroit. Four years ago Senator Johnson rolled up an extremely heavy vote among the industrial workers in Detroit's automobile world and carried the city, the largest electoral vote in the state. In the primaries just held the Johnson boom flattered miserably and the Californian was defeated in Wayne County (which includes Detroit) by a two to one vote as he was throughout the state.

Senator Johnson will do well to make a searching survey of the situation for there is apparently little hope for him. Even with the unpleasant aroma of the oil scandal in his very backyard President Coolidge has defeated the California native son at every point they have met with the exception of the two radically inclined states of North and South Dakota. Nowhere has Johnson been able to make any definite progress toward the goal of his dreams and the pinnacle toward which his efforts have been devoted for nearly ten years. The Johnson boom has, to all extents and purposes, flattered miserably, and the clear-cut indications are that unless there is skulduggery of some kind during the Cleveland convention the President will emerge with the crown of victory.

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

THOUGHT AND TRUTH

In 1441 printing was discovered. At that time the past was a vast cemetery with hardly an epitaph. The ideas of men had mostly perished in the brain that produced them. The lips of the human race had been sealed. Printing gave pinions to thought. It preserved ideas. It made it possible for man to bequeath to the future the riches of his brain, and the wealth of his soul.

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If cathedrals had been universities—if dungeons of the Inquisition had been laboratories—if Christians had believed in character instead of creed—if they had taken from the Bible all

the good and thrown away the wicked and absurd—if domes of temples had been observatories—if priests had been philosophers—if missionaries had taught the useful arts—if astrology had been astronomy—if the black art had been chemistry—if superstition had been science—if religion had been humanity—this world would have been a heaven filled with love, liberty and joy.

Martyrdom, as a rule, establishes the sincerity of the martyr—never the correctness of his thought.

Things are true or false in themselves. Truth cannot be affected by opinions, it cannot be changed, established, or affected, by martyrdom.

An error cannot be believed sincerely enough to make it a truth.

All the courage and culture, all the poetry and art of ancient Greece, do not even tend to establish the truth of any myth.

We are beginning to learn that to exchange a mistake for the truth—a superstition for a fact—to ascertain the real—is to progress.

There seems to be the same difference between mistakes and facts that there is between weeds and corn. Mistakes seem to take care of themselves, while the facts have to be guarded with all

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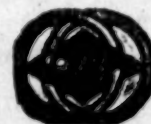
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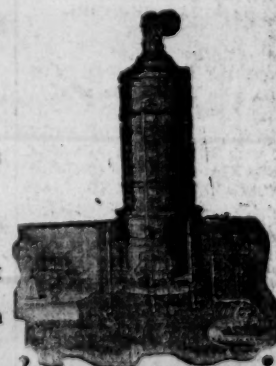
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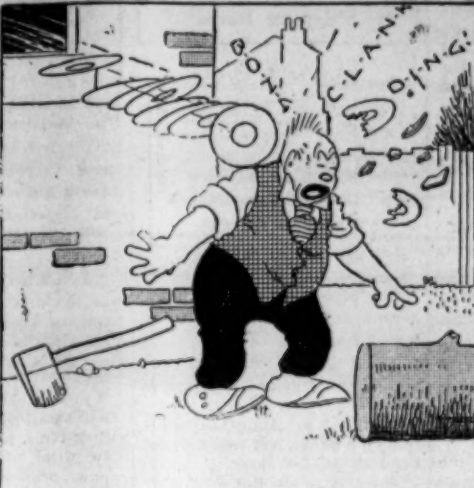


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The Law Of China

The First Account In English Of Ancient And Modern Chinese Law

BY ROBERT T. BRYAN, JR.

THE LEGAL STATUS OF A CHINESE FAMILY. The Chinese family or clan is an institution which the Chinese undoubtedly recognise as an or-

ganisation. Chinese families make and use a common seal, appoint and remove guardians for its minors, nominate administrators and trustees for estates of

its decedents and prescribe reasonable rules and regulations for the government of its members. In an interesting decision the Supreme Court has held that if a debt is contracted on behalf of a family the family as a whole is responsible for payment, and execution may be levied upon the family property to enforce payment (1).

Again, it has been held that if a debt is contracted for the benefit of several brothers in the name of one who is in charge of the family property, such brother on being sued for payment should pay the debt out of the common property in his possession, and cannot refuse to pay the whole claim by pleading that the liability should be borne proportionately by all the brothers (2).

Still again, it has been held that a debt contracted by brothers jointly before division of the family property should be paid by them according to the principles of joint debtors and that no creditor can demand the whole amount of his claim from one brother, unless it can be proved that the other brothers are insolvent (3). The organization of a family and the responsibilities of its members seem to be al-

most identical with that of Chinese partnerships.

INFANTS
According to Chinese law, all persons under sixteen years of age are minors (4). This does not seem to apply, however, to crimes, for an act done by a person under 12 years of age does not constitute a criminal offense. Children under twelve convicted of criminal offenses are generally sent to a reformatory (5). A minor has no capacity to execute contracts, and persons exercising parental control should act as their guardians (6). The act of an infant, however, may be ratified by his guardian or other persons in loco parentis (7).

DOMICILE
It seems that the term domicile has not as yet been clearly defined in Chinese Law. It has been stated, however, by the Supreme Court that according to principles it should mean residence in a definite place, with intention to live there permanently (8). A married woman is under a duty to live with her husband, and accordingly the domicile of her husband is her residence. If, however, the husband has no domicile, the wife may acquire one of her own (9).

The ancient customs and rites of Chinese families are not so intricate as would appear to uninitiated. The Oriental marriage laws are perhaps unacceptable to the Occidental mind, but when we consider that not only Christianity but no other religion has had any part in the development of the marital status we cease to wonder. China has been characterized as a "Mosaic" for those who wish to obtain relief from irksome matrimonial relations without "the string of dirty linen," which is essential to obtain divorce in Western countries. The Chinese law of succession, inheritance, and parent and child, while incompatible with those of other nations, have been the bulwark of Chinese family life, which, as we have already pointed out, is responsible for the preservation of China.

ADOPTION

The general object of adoption in China is to continue the stock and keep the family name alive (10). A man without a male heir although he is not obligated in law to adopt (11) is morally bound by Chinese custom to see that his family is not extinguished. If a man dies without a male heir his widow, if she is without a son and promises to remain celibate, may with the consent of the family of the deceased husband adopt a son (12). When the deceased husband has a full brother the widow should defer the adoption until a nephew is born (13).

A betrothed woman whose husband-to-be dies may adopt a male heir, provided she promises to live in the home of the deceased husband until a nephew is born (14). When both husband and wife die leaving no male heir, and there are no elders in the family, the concubines, if any, may request the family to adopt a son for their deceased husband (15). If there are family elders they have the right to name an adopted son and not the concubines (16). When both husband and wife die without a male heir, or the husband dies and the wife remarries and there is no person in the family having the right to adopt a son for the deceased the right may be exercised by the family assembly (17).

A person who desires to adopt a son cannot adopt anyone he

chooses, but must adopt a person of the same lineage. The person adopted must be of the same kindred of the next generation, beginning with his nephews descended from the nearest ancestor, and then taking collateral one, two and three degrees removed in order according to the arrangement of the ancestral tablets of worship as follows: (A) sons of brothers of a common father (nephews of first degree); (B) sons of cousins who have nine months mourning on the death of their father (nephews of second degree); (C) sons of cousins who have five months mourning on the death of their father (nephews of the third degree); and (D) sons of cousins who have three months mourning on the death of their father (nephews of the fourth degree) (18).

If no eligible male can be found in any of the above four classes, then one of the kindred still further removed may be chosen, and finally, anyone of the same family name (19). If one adopts a son of a person outside of the adopter's lineage, then both the adopted father and the natural father must suffer punishment.

BLOOD RELATIONS

Adoption is generally effected by means of a written document or contract, but other evidence may be sufficient to establish the fact of adoption, provided it is clear. Great emphasis is laid upon blood relationship in the Chinese system of adoption, and if there is evidence to prove the existence of the proper relationship for adoption a prima facie case is made out even though written evidence is lacking (20).

The effect of adoption in Chinese Law is to all intents and purposes to make the adopted a natural son of his adopter. He is entitled to his share of the estate of his adopted father just as if he had been a natural son (21). As soon as a person is adopted his natural parents lose their rights to consider him as their child. As a general rule an adopted son cannot inherit an estate from his natural parents. An interesting resume of the Chinese Law of Adoption is very well set forth in a digest entitled "The Principles of the Law of Succession in China," by Tsai Tsong Wong. One interested in this subject will do well to study this digest carefully.

PARENT AND CHILD

The relation of parent and child seems to have undergone considerable improvement in China during the last decade. Under the old law the power of a father over his children, whether natural or adopted, was unlimited. He, or after his death, the mother could chastise, sell, expose, or kill them, but the selling or killing of a grown-up son was strongly reprobated by public opinion, and practically an impossibility.

It would seem that under the present law a parent is guilty of a criminal offense who chastises his child in such a manner as to cause death. Instances, however, of such chastisement are frequently ignored, especially when a son is regarded as having disgraced his family (22). It appears from a Supreme Court decision that parents may no longer sell their children into slavery (23). It is, however, permissible for poor people who require money for subsistence to hire out for a consideration their children for a term of years (24).

The Chinese inheritance law protects the sons, and the father cannot disinherit or deprive them of their share of the family property. The father is, likewise, protected, for if he becomes insolvent and unable to support himself the obligation falls upon his sons to support him and see that he is well taken care of (25). This is not only true of the sons, but in the event there are no sons the grandsons are obligated to see that their grandparent's have the necessities of life (26). Not only this, but upon the death of the father the sons become responsible to pay his credi-

tors his just and lawful debts (27). A creditor may require one of the sons to pay the whole of his indebtedness if the family property has not been divided, but if it has been divided he must look to them all (28). If the son is not living with his parents this principle does not apply (29).

GUARDIAN AND WARD

When both parents of a child who is still a minor die, the clan may appoint a guardian, provided no guardian has been appointed by either of the deceased parents, or the child is not being taken care of by a relative (30). In case the clan cannot agree upon the appointment of a guardian, the matter of such appointment may be referred to a court having jurisdiction. The Court, however, in appointing a guardian must take into consideration the opinions of the minor's relatives (31).

The relative who supports a minor ipso facto becomes his guardian, provided no guardian was appointed by the parents before death. If it appears, however, that the relative so acting as guardian violates his trust another guardian may be appointed by the court (32).

The grandparents of a minor may have an independent guardian appointed if the parents of the child are wasting the child's property (33). A guardian cannot dispose of his ward's property without using sound discretion (34). If it is proved that a guardian is acting contrary to the interests of his ward the Courts have power to remove him (35). The general rule seems to be that when a minor becomes of age the guardian's authority ceases. If the ward, however, is a spendthrift and the handing over of his property to him is not desirable the guardian may, in order to protect the estate, call a meeting of his ward's relatives for the appointment of another guardian. Until a new guardian is appointed he may refuse to hand over the property to his ward (36).

(1), (2), (3) Chinese Supreme Court Decisions, page 92, case 519; page 92, case 457; page 91, case 628.

(4) Chinese Supreme Court Decisions, page 6, case 883.

(5) Chinese Provisional Criminal Code, Article II.

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(10) China of The Chinese, by E. T. C. Werner, page 53.

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(12), (13) Principles of the Law of Succession in China, by Tsai Tsong Wong, translated by R. C. W. Sheng, page 16.

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In tomorrow's article Mr. Bryan writes on Wills, Administration of Estates, and Inheritance.

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possible care. Falsehoods like weeds flourish without care. Weeds care nothing for soil or rain. They not only ask no help but they almost defy destruction. Every wrong in some way tends to abolish itself. It is hard to

make a lie stand always. A lie will not fit a fact. It will only fit another lie made for the purpose. The life of a lie is simply a question of time. Nothing but truth is immortal.

Truth is neither young nor old, is neither ancient nor modern, but is the same for all times and places and should be sought for with ceaseless activity, eagerly acknowledged, loved more than life, and abandoned—never.

Nothing is greater, nothing is of more importance, than to find amid the errors and darkness of this life, a shining truth. Truth is the intellectual wealth of the world. The noblest of occupations is the search for truth. Truth is the foundation, the superstructure and the glittering dome of progress. Truth is the mother of joy. Truth civilizes nobles and purifies the great. The ambition that can enter the soul is to know the truth. Truth gives man the greatest power for good. Truth is sword and shield. It is the sacred light of the soul. The man who finds a truth lights a torch.

In the search for truth, that everything in nature seems to hide, man needs the assistance of all his faculties. All the senses should be awake. Humor should carry a torch. Wit should give the sudden light. Candor should hold the scales. Reason, the final arbiter, should put his royal stamp on every fact, and Memory, with a miser's care, should keep and guard the mental gold.

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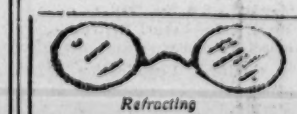
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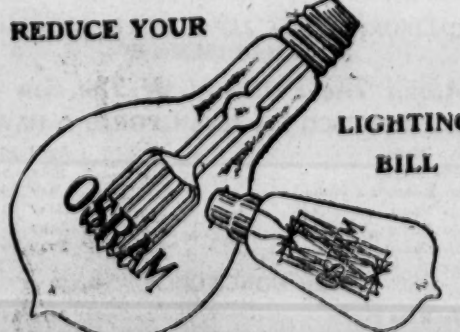
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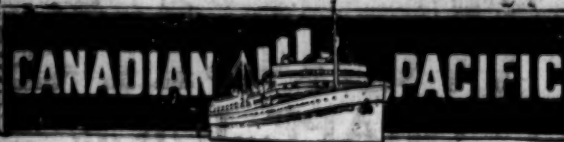
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DEVISE PLAN FOR TOKIO PORT AND FREIGHT CANAL

Y. 46,500,000 Project To Be Undertaken On Six Year Program

The construction of Tokio harbor and of a canal between Yokohama and the capital has been decided upon by the Home Department, which has issued a detailed explanation of the project. The work will be started this year, will cost Y. 46,500,000 and will be completed in six years, according to the report.

The Tokio harbor construction plan involves the erection of mooring berths having a depth of 7½ meters, at low tide along the shorefront of Tokujiima and Shibaura and the dredging of sea area to the depth of 7½ meters of the old forts of Shinagawa, so as to let steamers larger than those of the 3,000 tons class enter Tokio Bay. According to the explanation, the Tokio harbor facilities are defective and this proves a serious disadvantage to the interest of Tokio citizens and a restraint on industrial activities of the capital.

In the past, the improvement of the river mouth was undertaken by the Tokio municipality on a small scale and a ship's highway was dredged below the Yaita bridge to the depth of 12 feet and a breadth of 120 feet. This improvement served as a convenience to small steamers and sailing ships but hardly meets the requirements of large steamers intending to enter Tokio Bay or the River Sumida.

SHIBAUZA GROWS IN IMPORTANCE

Shibaura used to be a mere anchorage for sailing ships before the great war, but after the war it suddenly developed into a mooring place of large steamers coming from coastal ports and foreign countries with cargo direct to Tokio. The September earthquake caused it to become a thriving import port at a bound and there were more than 20 steamers a day there during the quake days.

The Tokio municipality started the improvement of the shorefront along Shibaura in 1922 with an estimate of Y. 6,800,000, but shortly after the work was undertaken the earthquake of last September forced the municipal authorities to suspend the enterprise temporarily. The water about Shibaura is shallow and is unable to accommodate steamers of deep draft of over 3,000 tons gross, yet there are always more than five ships lying at anchor there at present.

CARGO OPERATION DANGEROUS

Cargo operation at Shibaura is very dangerous due to the lack of adequate harbor facilities and, if things are allowed to remain unremedied for some time, it will unfavorably affect the shipping interests of Tokio, which are starting on a steady prosperity. The direct supply of necessary materials for reconstruction of the capital could be brought in through Shibaura and adequate harbor equipment is a matter of urgent necessity for Tokio.

As to the excavation of the Tokio-Yokohama commercial canal, the Home Department declared that about 80 percent of the entire imports to Yokohama are consigned to Tokio and most of the cargo is forwarded to Tokio by lighters. High lighterage and slack and risky transportation of cargo increases the cost of living of Tokio citizens. The office of Haneda near Kanagawa, lies between Yokohama and Tokio and forms the most dangerous pass for lighters. Many marine mishaps have taken place among lighters on their way to Tokio. The excavation of the canal will not only preclude such danger, but will also serve as the most effective commercial channel between the two cities. It is stated.

Weather Reports

Apr. 21.—The depression advances towards the Sea of Japan across Korea. High pressures in Mongolia and over Eastern Nippon. Area of low pressures between Kiangsi and the coast. Cyclonic winds in the depression; S.W. breezes to the N of the Yellow Sea; numerous calms in the south. Fine and warm weather at Shanghai and in the north. Fog in Shanghai, along the Yangtze and at several points of the coast, down to Tongking. Snow at Irkutsk.

Apr. 22.—Fine and cooler weather; high mist in the atmosphere. The pressure rises at Shanghai and is falling again in Shanghai. Moderate easterly breezes.

Shipping Items

YANGTZE PORTS

The B. & S. s.s. Tatung is due to arrive in Shanghai from Hankow this morning at noon.

The B. & S. s.s. Ngankin is expected to arrive from Hankow tomorrow morning at noon.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The B. & S. s.s. Suiyang is due here from Hongkong this morning at 8 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Szechuen is expected here tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Luchow is due from Hongkong and Amoy Friday morning at 8 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Kanchow is expected to arrive from Hongkong and Amoy Sunday at 8 a.m.

The B. & S. s.s. Pakhoi is due from Swatow tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Chekiang is expected to arrive in Shanghai this afternoon at 4 p.m.

NORTHERN PORTS

The B. & S. s.s. Sunning is due to arrive from Tsingtau tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Eumaeus left Dairen on Monday for Shanghai and is expected to arrive here today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Unit which left Chinwangtao Monday is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kamo Maru is due in Shanghai today from Moji. The steamer will probably sail for Hongkong tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru is due in Shanghai today from Moji for a one day stop before her return to Japan.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow from Nagasaki and is due to sail for Nagasaki on Friday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Aso Maru is due in Shanghai tomorrow from Moji and is scheduled to sail for Nagoya on Sunday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru is due in Shanghai Friday from Hongkong and is expected to sail for Kobe on Saturday.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Takada on her way to Shanghai left Calcutta last Sunday morning and is due here on May 9.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Nagpore from European ports was due to leave Colombo today for Shanghai.

The P. & O. s.s. Allport from European ports was scheduled to leave Bombay yesterday for Shanghai.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenarry is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London today.

The S.E. s.s. Benares which left Gothenburg March 13 is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday.

The P. & O. s.s. Khiva will leave London on April 28 at 6 p.m. for Shanghai and is due in Shanghai May 5.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashgar left London at 3 p.m. last Friday enroute for Shanghai.

The French Mail s.s. Paul Lecat with French mail of March 20 will leave Saigon on Friday. The liner is due in Shanghai Friday, April 25.

The French Mail s.s. Andre Lebon with mail from Marseilles March 27 is due to arrive Shanghai from Marseilles Friday, May 2.

AMERICAN LINES

The Pacific Mail s.s. President Cleveland arrived from America yesterday at daylight and docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The steamer will stop here a day and then sail for the south this morning at noon.

The Admiral Line s.s. President Jefferson is due in Shanghai from Manila and Hongkong Thursday. The liner will sail Friday morning at five o'clock for America via Japan ports.

The Robert Dollar sailing vessel Janet Dollar sailed from Vancouver January 31 and is due to arrive in Shanghai some time this month.

The Dollar s.s. President Monroe was to sail from San Francisco Monday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Panama and San Francisco on May 6.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due to arrive in Shanghai Friday from Vancouver. The liner will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf at 6 p.m. She will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Saturday at 1 p.m.

The Dollar s.s. President Polk arrived in Shanghai yesterday, morning and docked at the Dollar Wharf in Pootung. The steamer is from New York via Panama and will return to New York Friday morning at 5 o'clock via Suez.

New Rules Regarding Ocean Bills Of Lading

A short concise form of Bill of Lading is a reform long overdue. Mr. J. C. Singer, in the March "Anglo-American Trade," London, discusses this question from an American and British standpoint.

The United States Government was the first to pass an Act relating to Ocean Bills of Lading. This was the now famous Harter Act—the U.S.A. Carriers' Act of 1893.

Other countries, less ready to discard ancient though inconvenient customs, watched this innovation with interest. Many good—and probably as many bad—things have been said about the Harter Act. Its phraseology has been attacked again and again. Nevertheless, it is significant that the Australian, New Zealand, and Canadian Carriage of Goods by Sea Acts—the last named being passed in 1910—are all almost identical in terms with the much criticised Harter Act.

Shipping interests in the United States, having had thirty years' experience of the Harter Act, were able greatly to assist in the project to procure an international Convention which would secure uniform rules relating to bills of lading. The United States sent two representatives to the Diplomatic Conference of twenty-four maritime States, held in Brussels in October, 1922, to consider a draft bill of lading Convention. The delegates to this Conference, after somewhat amending the draft code, unanimously agreed to recommend their Governments to adopt it.

In pursuance of this understanding, a Bill was introduced in the House of Representatives on February 2, 1923. The British Government also introduced a Bill in the House of Lords on March 26, 1923. In both cases, the Bills were referred to appropriate Committees, whose reports have been published.

The British Bill, as amended in Committee, was reintroduced in the House of Lords on August 1, 1923, and was passed through all its stages in that House and sent down to the House of Commons. The change of Government, however, unexpectedly delayed the further progress of the measure, but it is understood that the Bill as passed by the House of Lords (but probably embodying some further slight alterations) will be introduced in the new House of Commons shortly, and it may be safely predicted that it will pass into law without opposition.

The United States Bill was reintroduced in the House of Representatives on January 9, 1924. A copy of this Bill discloses the fact that in some respects it differs from the British Bill, and it would seem that the effort of years to secure uniformity will not be fully rewarded.

For shipping interests in the United States the introduction of the proposed Rules is probably largely a question whether they will be better off under the Rules than under the Harter Act. A layman looking at the Harter Act and comparing it with the Rules would find an extraordinary similarity between the two. Indeed, there is very little difference from a practical point of view even when they are compared in a technical or legal sense.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY CLAUSES

Probably no question has so exercised the minds of, and caused so much annoyance to, United States shippers as the ability of the shipowner to cut down his liability to what is known as a "conventional" value. Bills of lading have been known to contain clauses cutting down the liability of the carrier to one dollar per package, and such a clause, properly drafted, is valid under the Harter Act.

The new U.S.A. Bill provides for a minimum limit of liability of five hundred dollars per package, and it may be taken as an incontestable fact that the working of the new Bill would make invalid any clause which purports to reduce this minimum limit of liability. The new Bill, however, preserves the shippers' and carriers' rights to agree a higher limit of liability, which is usual where an *ad valorem* freight is paid.

It seems a little unfortunate that United States shipping interests could not, for the sake of uniformity, reconcile themselves to the standard unit of one hundred pounds sterling per package laid down in the Brussels draft Convention. This insistence upon the local monetary unit being embodied in the domestic Bill, laudable though it be from a national point of view, would appear to be questionable in its effect, and a most regrettable departure from the agreed object

of the Rules from an international standpoint.

The increase, too, from the equivalent of one hundred pounds sterling to five hundred dollars (five dollars to the pound sterling) might conceivably lead to further controversy.

SEAWORTHINESS
Under the Harter Act, the shipowner can by an appropriate clause limit his obligation in connection with seaworthiness to the exercise of due diligence. The Rules do away with the necessity for such a clause, and to that extent they are an improvement, without diminishing the responsibilities of the shipowner in this respect.

DEVIATION
Deviation clauses in general terms are not prohibited by the Harter Act, and, here again, the shippers' interests have been well protected by the Rules—see Art. IV., par. 4.

CONTENTED CUSTOMERS
It may be suggested that the writer has said too much about the advantages merchants are to secure by the adoption of the Rules, and too little about the inducements offered to shipowners. To most people versed in the history of the movement for the adoption of an international code of Rules on bill of lading clauses, however, it will be unnecessary to explain that shipowners, however suspicious this may seem, are prepared to give merchants all the advantages in return for contented customers.

Passengers Departed

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Per C.N. s.s. Yingchow for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. A. Macfarlane and Miss Macfarlane.

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang for Yangtze Ports: Captain Sannes, Mr. Vanderstegen, Mr. N. Johnson, Mr. Ormiston.

Steamers Departed

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Pingwo for Yangtze Ports
Suiyang Maru for Yangtze Ports
Chiehuen for Yangtze Ports
Wenchow for Yangtze Ports
Mingsang for Yangtze Ports
Hsinming for Tientsin
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Chambord for Japan
Machao for Europe via Suez
Mirzapore for Europe via Suez
Stanley Dollar for
Tokohashi Maru for

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Nagasaki Maru	Apr. 25	
Shanghai Maru	Apr. 26	
Yamashiro Maru	Apr. 26	
Kumano Maru	Apr. 30	
Omi Maru	May 3	
Nikko Maru	May 5	
FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape Horn		
Kanagawa Maru	Apr. 30	
FOR EUROPE		
Kamo Maru	Apr. 24	
Tajima Maru	May 9	
Matsumoto Maru	Apr. 25	
Katori Maru	May 3	
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Mail	Next sailing from Shanghai	Probable sailing for Kobe and Yokohama	Probable sailing for Marseilles
ANGKOR	20th Mar.	22nd Apr. 1924	24th Apr.
CHAMBERD	27th Mar.	2nd May, 1924	15th May
PAUL LECAT	27th Mar.	9th May, 1924	22nd May
AMBOISE	10th April	3rd May	5th June
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FOR NEW YORK, via Japan Ports, San Francisco & Panama.		
S.S. "HAWANA MARU"	May 18	
FOR TACOMA and SEATTLE, via JAPAN PORTS, AND VICTORIA.		
S.S. "ARIZONA MARU"	April 24	
S.S. "ARABIA MARU"	May 21	
FOR TIENTSIN DIRECT		
S.S. CHOPU MARU	April 24	
FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tientsin, Tientsin, and Dairen		
S.S. "KYODO MARU" No. 26	April 19	
S.S. KOHOKU MARU	April 22	
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung & Takao via Foochow.		
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU"	April 22	
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU"	May 6	
FOR JAPAN, via Dairen		
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FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Apr. 24 — Seattle	Arizona Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Apr. 25 3.00 New York via Suez	1P. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Apr. 25 — Seattle	1P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Apr. 25 — Vancouver, etc.	C. Winger	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26 — San Francisco	1Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Apr. 27 — New York	Kaemon	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28 — Portland Ore.	West Cayote	Am. Lumber Co.
May 8 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
May 8 — New York	Toba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 10 — Vancouver	1E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
May 16 — Portland	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
May 18 — New York	Havanna Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May 18 — Seattle	Shidzuka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 19 — Seattle	1P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 21 — Tacoma, Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 24 — San Francisco	1P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May 25 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
May 31 — San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR JAPAN PORTS.

Apr. 25 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 26 — Japan	Yamashiro Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Apr. 29 — Japan	Shanghai Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 30 — Japan	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 3 — Japan	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 7 — Japan	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 29 — Japan	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Apr. 23 — Hamburg, etc.	Glenogle	Br. G.L.E.A.
Apr. 24 London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 24 — Rotterdam	Alderamin	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Apr. 24 2.00 Marseilles	1Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Apr. 25 — Rotterdam, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Apr. 27 — Singapore, Java	W. Farallon	Am. S. & B.
Apr. 27 — Liverpool	1Teucer	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27 — London, etc.	1Kalyan	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 29 — Hamburg, etc.	Coblenz	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Apr. 30 — London	Eumeans	Br. B. & S.
May 3 — London, etc.	1Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 8 — Marseilles	Chamberd	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 9 — Europe	Taymyia Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 13 — London	1Plasy	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 14 — Liverpool	1Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
May 15 — Liverpool	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
May 15 — Marseilles	Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 20 — London	1Kashmir	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 20 — Rotterdam	1Oostkerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
May 22 — Hamburg, etc.	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
May 22 — Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 25 — Bombay	Murotan Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 26 — London	Andes Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May 26 — Europe	Aunder Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 27 — London	1Kliwa	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 5 — Marseilles	1Kashgar	Br. M. M. & Co.
June 10 — London	1Mentor	Br. B. & S.
June 11 — London	1Anderkerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
June 16 — Rotterdam	Chantilly	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 19 — Marseilles	1Moros	Br. M. M. & Co.
June 24 — London		

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Apr. 30 — Melbourne, etc.	1St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 28 — Melbourne, etc.	1Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Apr. 22 — Formosa	Fukukien Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Apr. 23 — Canton	Tungshin	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 23 2.00 H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 24 — D.L. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25 D.L. Amoy	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26 D.L. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26 M. Amoy, Swatow	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 27 D.L. Amoy, Hongkong	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	Shidzuka Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr. 23 D.L. Tientsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 23 M. Chefoo, Tientsin	Heinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24 M. Chefoo, Newchwang	Toonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Chungching	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25 D.L. Chefoo	Chengkang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27 D.L. Chefoo, Newchwang	Faochow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27 D.L. Tsingtau, Newchwang	Pakhol	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28 D.L. Tsingtau, Newchwang	Kanehow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28 — Chinwangtao	Patriot	Br. K. M. A.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr. 23 M.N. Hankow	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 23 M.N. Hankow	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24 M.N. Hankow	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 24 M.N. Hankow	Sulwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Apr. 25 M.N. Hankow	Luehow	Br. J.M. & Co.
Apr. 25 M.N. Hankow	Soongwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Apr. 26 M.N. Hankow	Ngankia	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26 M.N. Hankow	Woomung	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28 M.N. Hankow	Shengkang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 29 M.N. Hankow	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
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Apr. 24	9 p.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	May 11
Apr. 26	1 p.m.	Shinyo Maru		

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
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Apr. 24	10 a.m.	Kamo Maru	Marseilles	
Apr. 24	11 a.m.	Angkor		
Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Pres. Polk	New York	
Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Soudan		

T. J. NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	9 p.m.	via Chita
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	9 a.m.	Yusang
Tsingtau & Dairen	Today	9.30 a.m.	Saikio M.
Chefoo & Newchwang	Today	12 m.n.	Toonan
Chefoo	Apr. 24	12 m. a.	Chengkang
Tientsin	Apr. 26	11 p.m.	Kingsing
Tientsin	Apr. 26	8 a.m.	Shuntien
Chefoo and Newchwang	Apr. 26	12 m.n.	Faochow
Tsingtau and Newchwang	Apr. 26	12 noon	Pakhol
Tsingtau	Apr. 28	8 a.m.	Kanehow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Foochow	Today	10 a.m.	Hsinchi
Swatow	Today	12 noon	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9.30 a.m.	P. Cleveland
Hongkong & Canton	Today	1.30 p.m.	Aldercamin
Hongkong & Canton	Today	12 m.n.	Liangchow
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 24	10 a.m.	Kamo M.
Amoy	Apr. 24	11 a.m.	Angkor
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 24	12 m.n.	Suiyang
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Pres. Polk
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Soudan
Amoy	Apr. 25	12 m.n.	Irene
Swatow	Apr. 25	12 m. n.	Sunning
Amoy	Apr. 26	12 m. n.	Szechuen

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Traus
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Traus
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Today	9.30 a.m.	Pres. Cleveland
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	11 p.m.	Angkor
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Pres. Polk
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Soudan
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	10 a.m.	Kamo M.
Japan ports	Apr. 24	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	Apr. 24	8 p.m.	Yamashiro M.
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 25	9 p.m.	E. of Asia

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F N B	Mar. 15	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
J N B	Apr. 11	Hoga	Jap. Gun-boat
O D W		Penguin	Am. Gun-boat
O D W	Feb. 14	Pigeon	Am. Gun-boat
B N B	Apr. 10	Scarab	Br. Gun-boat
V T P D W	Feb. 7	Woodcock	Fr. Gun-boat
F N B	Apr. 17	Huron	Am. Cruiser
	Apr. 19	Cricketer	Br. Gun-boat

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1924
The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight.
Approximate rise, at spring 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/4 h.
Time Range 10ft 1in. 2h. 55m. 7ft. 5in.
High Water at Tungsha Lightship (The morning tides are higher than the evening tides.)
Approximate rise, 1 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.
A.M. P.M.
1h. 32m. 1h. 54m.
Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.
Moon Sets Rises Sun Sets Daylight Dark
10:44 p.m. 8:29 a.m. 5h. 28m. 6h. 30m. 4h. 45m. 7h. 15m.
Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.17 in.
April 766.6 mm.

Steamers Arrived

Pres. Cleveland from S. Fisco
Yungshin from Ningpo
Hsinchiang from Ningpo
Pres. Polk from New York
Eldridge from Japan
Saikio Maru from Dairen
Dere Castle from New York
Plasy from Europe
Walshing from Swatow
Indegirka from ...
Hein Ping from Dairen
Erivar from Tsingtau
Kiangang from Yangtze Ports
Angkor from Marseilles
Kyokui Maru from Chinwangtao
Onfa from Liverpool
Arizona Maru from Japan
Hwahwa from ...
Soudan from Japan
Yorwarta from ...



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45 Kiangse Road Shanghai
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Fire Loss Adjusting Dept. Cent. 6123
Chinese Department. Cent. 6126

SUMMARY OF AUCTIONS

Wednesday, April 23, at 10 a.m.

In front Salesroom Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries.

Wednesday, April 23, at 2.30 p.m.

In Cargo Salesroom General Merchandise, Wines and Sundries.

Thursday, April 24, at 10 a.m.

In Front Salesroom New Excellent household And Office furniture and sundries.

Friday, April 25, at 10 a.m.

At 45 Range Road. Superior household furniture and sundries.

Saturday, April 26, at 10 a.m.

In Front Salesroom Excellent household furniture and sundries.

DETAILS AS UNDER:—

IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Wednesday, April 23, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.

Excellent Household Furniture & Sundries

COMPRISING:—
Oak bevelled mirror door wardrobe, bevelled mirror back dressing table, chest of drawers, washstand, night table, commode, Folding push cart, square tables, Rubber tyred rickshaw, cabinets, Gramophone, records, leather suit cases, Fairbanks "Army and Navy" weighing scale 600 lbs. together with counterweights, large American stove, large iron safe, lighting fixture with 3 chains and 24" diameter shell bowl, New ice chest, double spring couch and arm chairs, glass ware, crockery and sundries,
also
New Gents Bicycle Enamelled iron bath.

IN CARGO SALESROOM
On Wednesday, April 23, 1924
At 2.30 p.m.
General Merchandise and Sundries

COMPRISING:—
7 Cases Waterless Ever-hot Bags, 50 Cases Extra Bags Of Re-
fill, 19 Bench Vices, 4 Ajax Cord Tyres, 1 Case Indigo Paste, 15
Cases Vermouth,
and

- 1 Case Caffeine Parum.
- 10 Barrels Sugar Of Milk Powder.
- 3 Cases Vanishing Cream.
- 30 Cases Cannon Brand Glue.
- 5 Cases Metanil Yellow.
- 10 Cases German Direct Red.
- 15 Cases Naphthalene Flakes.
- 1 Complete Lighting Set For Acetylene Gas.
- 6 Lavatory Basins

ON VIEW TUESDAY

IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Thursday, April 24, 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.

COMPRISING:—
New Superior Household and Office
Furniture, Imported Oil Paintings and
Sundries

COMPRISING:—
Bevelled mirror back hat and umbrella stand, hall table and
settee, oak flat top desk, revolving desk chair, sliding door book
case, filing cabinet, book stand, tapestry upholstered double spring
Chesterfield Couch and arm chairs, Teak mahogany stained Morris
rocking chairs, carved blackwood long table, side table, jardiniere
stand and stools, Teak mahogany stained silk tapestry seated draw-
ing room suite, escrtoire, teapoy, centre table, 3-fold screen,
bevelled mirror back chiffonier, teak mahogany stained curio cabi-
net, Pier-glass, Peeking cloisonne and Chinese porcelain ware, Suite
Manila hard wood dark stained Jackman style dining room furni-
ture, comprising bevelled mirror back sideboard, cellarette, oval
extension dining table and leather seated chairs, silver ware cabi-
net 3-fold screen, American leather upholstered Couch and arm
chairs, E.P. Cutlery and glass ware, crockery, Oak and Mahogany
stained Bedroom suites fitted with oval mirrors, double wooden
bedstead, table and bed linen, cretonne upholstered Couch and
armchairs, New mosquito-nets, Japanese matting, etc.,
also

About 100 pieces of Gilt, Oak and mahogany stained framed,
Oil painting, photographs and coloured pictures.
1 New German Steel Safe.
1 Fine-toned iron framed Piano.
1 Canton set in oak case.
20 pair New Lace curtains.
New Aluminium ware.

On view Tuesday and Wednesday, 22nd and 23rd April.

MIDDLE SALESROOM
Useful Household Furniture and Sundries
etc.

On Thursday, April 24, 1924
Commencing at 2.30 p.m.

COMPRISING:
LARGE AND SMALL TRAVELLING TRUNKS, Leather suit
cases, SATIN EMBROIDERED WALL HANGINGS, Glass ware,
Dinner crockery, Porcelain flower vases, Tapestry covered spring
sofa and Arm Chairs, "SINGER" TREAD SEWING MACHINE, OLD
CHINESE CURIOS, BOOKS AND NOVELS, LARGE AND SMALL
CARPETS, Soochow curtains, Brass ware, electric table fan, Marble
clock, Scale, Overmantle picture, Electric toaster and iron, Child's
wicker cot with mattress, Inverted lamp shade with chains, Large
ice chest, Brass fenders, LARGE MIRROR, BACK SIDEBORD
AND CELLARETTE, Dining chairs, Mah-jong sets and Sundries

etc. etc.

ALSO

A Large assortment of Gent's And Lady's clothing boots and shoes,
etc.Favoured with instructions from the Concerned
will sell at Public Auction within their premises.

No. 48 Range Road
On Friday, April 25, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.

COMPRISING:—

HALL: Carved teak bevelled mirror back hat and umbrella stand,
hall chair and table, hat rack, picture, jardiniere stand, etc.
DRAWING ROOM: Axminster carpet, solid brass fender, coal box,
fire brasses, tapestry upholstered double spring couch and
arm chairs, teak centre table, teak curio cabinet, escrtoire,
teak bevelled mirror back chiffonier, flower stands, teapoy,
dumb waiter, fancy lace curtains, oil painting and coloured
pictures, Chinese porcelain and cloisonne ware, etc.,

DINING ROOM: Brussels carpet, carved teak bevelled mirror back
sideboard, cellarette, extension dining table, and chairs, 3-fold
screen, silver ware cabinet, tapestry upholstered arm chair,
photograph, porcelain ware, E.P. Cutlery and glass ware,
crockery table linen, Soochow curtains, Oscillating Table Fan,
etc.,

CONTENTS OF 2 BEDROOMS: Mattress, overmantle, Teak bevelled
mirror door wardrobes, dressing tables, chest of drawers,
washstand, pedestal, chairs, double and single bedsteads,
arm chairs, bed linen, linen cupboard, curtains, pictures, etc.,
also

Canton set in oak case.
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holstered drawing room suite,
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field couch and easy chairs, roll
and flat top desk and chairs,
bookcases, Japanese teapoy,
square table, escrtoires, oakstained
dining room furniture, mirror
door wardrobe, dressing table,
washstand, chest of drawers,
pedestal, wooden and iron bod-
steads, sofa and arm chairs, cen-
ter table, brass and porcelain
vases, pictures, bicycle, ice chest,
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Hollywood Astronomy

If pilgrimages are
assessed in
their merit, by
mileage, then Old
Bill's journey of
6,000 miles to
Hollywood to ob-
serve the actual earthy residence of the
film stars can be counted up as a headliner
in the world of pilgrims.

Six thousand miles! And the fact that
he was simply observing Stars almost
turns his mission into an astronomical
adventure. In fact, when you come to
think of it, Hollywood is more or less the
milky way of the film heavens. With the
aid of a powerful glass—say of milk—you
can see the marvels that exist amongst
the constellations at Hollywood, and find
that they have a distinct resemblance to
those of the sky.

Bill and I made a careful survey of
Hollywood and the Beverly Hills beyond,
and as we recede northward and eastward,
through the vast wild spaces of Nevada,
are able to form a couple of mind-pictures
which we can always retain of Hollywood.

We have been sitting, sleeping and
eating on board the train now for over
twenty-four hours, and all our waking
moments are occupied by thinking over,
and discussing, Los Angeles and Holly-
wood.

One night Bill and I, all alone, took an
automobile and drove off quietly and un-
known to examine the entire district. We
slipped gently along on the "Sunset Boule-

vard" and proceeded on our way to Holly-
wood.

"Studios to the right of them; studios
to the left of them! What a sight it all
is!"

"Now, Bill, take that Corona out for a
minute and tell me what strikes you about
all this."

Bill blew out a cloud of cigar smoke
into the balmy evening air, and assumed
the face of a County Court Judge:

"Well, Captain, they seem very anxious
to tell you it's all real."

"What do you mean, Bill?"

"Well, whenever I'm looking at any-
thing I like, up comes a billboard with
'Real Estate' written across it and blots
the whole thing out."

Bill was right. Real Estate offices are
as plentiful as palm trees at Hollywood.
In fact, the actual city of Hollywood is
entirely a mixture of Real Estate—which
at the moment is unreal—and Unreal
Estate in the shape of prodigious scene
sets used in former film productions, which
are very real. The mind of an employee
at a film factory must, I should say, be
soothed by this forest of Real Estate
Notices. After a day's work in the streets
of Bagdad or in an Egyptian Temple, it
must be comforting to come home to your
house which stands sheltered behind a
huge boarding with "Real-Estate" writ-
ten on it. I can imagine him sitting down
in an arm-chair and exclaiming:

"Gee, but I'm glad something's Real,
anyway!"



Old Bill gets that
"Hollywood" sensation

UNKNOWN MAN IS MURDER VICTIM; INQUEST IS HELD

An inquest was held by Assessor
Bucknell and Magistrate Yui of the
Mixed Court yesterday over the
body of an unknown Chinese who
was found murdered in a dwelling
at 453 Yunnan Road early Sunday
morning.

The murder was reported to the
police at 1.30 a.m. by Tsun Dai-
tsun, tenant of the house, and the
victim was found lying on the floor
of one of the upper front rooms with
two bullet wounds in the chest. An
empty .32 calibre cartridge case
was found on the floor. Evidence
was given to the effect that a man
named Wong, who rented the room,
and two other Chinese were seen
to leave the building after shots
had been heard. Wong was caught
and brought back to the house, but
managed to get away and escaped
over the roof.

A verdict of murder by a person
or persons unknown was returned
and a warrant was ordered to
issue for the man whose name was
known at the house.

Cleveland Brings Several Visitors

The President Cleveland brought
a good passenger list from San
Francisco yesterday, including a
number of Shanghaianers who
returned from home leave.

Among the arrivals on the
Pacific Mail liner were Mrs. P. L.
Jackson, wife of an official of the
Wells Fargo Bank and Trust Com-
pany of San Francisco, who comes
on a trip to the Far East; Mr. Karl
Melchers of the Melchers China
Corporation and Mrs. Melchers,
returning to Shanghai from a trip
to the United States; Mr. Frank
M. Giles of the British-American
Tobacco Company, and Mrs. Giles;
Mr. John D. Ellis of the Standard
Oil Company and Mr. P. W. Brown,
the latest addition to the local
Y.M.C.A. staff, and Mrs. Brown.

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Vessels Due

Asio Maru, Japan	Apr. 21
Autumn, Europe	Apr. 21
Benares, Galleonburg	Apr. 21
Chekiang, Swatow	Apr. 21
Dacre Castle, New York	Apr. 21
Empress of Asia, Yon- con	Apr. 21
Eumaeus, Dairin	Apr. 21
Hannawa, Portland	May 14
Heinkong, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Inkum, Portland Ore.	Apr. 21
Irene, Tientsin	Apr. 21
Kamo Maru, Moji	Apr. 21
Kanehow, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Kashima Maru, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Kutwo, Yangtze ports	Apr. 21
Luchow, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Nagasaki Maru, Nagasaki	Apr. 21
Ngankin, Hankow	Apr. 21
Nikko Maru, Moji	Apr. 21
Pakhol, Hongkong	Mar. 20
Paul Leat, Marseilles	Apr. 21
Pres. Jefferson, Manila	Apr. 21
Pres. Morone, San Francisco	May 6
Pres. Polk, San Francisco	Apr. 21
Sulwang, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Sunehing, Tientsin	Apr. 21
Szechuen, Hongkong	Apr. 21
Taitung, Swatow	Apr. 21
Taitung, Swatow	Apr. 21
Taitung, Swatow	Apr. 21
West Coyote, Portland Ore.	Apr. 21
Wingsang, Swatow	Apr. 21
Yatsing, Swatow	Apr. 21
Yoseric, Swatow	Apr. 21

Passengers Arrived

Per P. & O. s.s. Plassy from Europe via Suez; Mr. J. E. Jupp, Col. and Mrs. Greenhill, Miss B. McGrouther, Mrs. Lidwell, Mrs. Churchill and child, Mr. F. Kirk- Flatt, G. R. West, Mr. W. R. Allen, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. N. Srow- croft, Miss J. Walround, Miss M. Reeles, Miss A. Walters, Mr. J. Andrew, Mr. Halldorf, Mr. Lorim- er, Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland, Mr. D. Woods, Mr. F. Galloway, Mr. G. Beaumont, Mr. A. A. Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mr. W. Hsu, Capt. A. E. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Combie, Mr. F. Robinson, Miss A. Saloma, Mrs. H. Stephens, Mr. F. Kulka, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Slang, Dr. and Mrs. Simpson and daugh- ter, Mr. W. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Howan, Mr. Hills, Mr. Colls and Miss Pittott.

Per Dollar s.s. President Polk
from New York via Panama: Mrs.
E. Long and children.

Per Pacific Mail s.s. President
Cleveland from San Francisco via
Japan ports: For Shanghai: Mr.
and Mrs. C. A. Barker, Mrs. Agnes
B. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. P. W.
Brown, Miss Elizabeth Brown,

Miss Dona Farmer, Mr. and Mrs.
W. M. Foley, Mrs. C. E. Gauss
and Master Chas. Barker Gauss,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Giles, Miss
Doris Giles, Mrs. Parker L. Jack-
son, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Melchers,
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nichols, Mr.
and Mrs. J. Ojanpera, Mr. Nelson
Poe, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sellick,
Mrs. A. M. Sherwood, Mrs. Emma
B. Sperry.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Pres. Wilson	Mar. 29
Pres. McKinley	Apr. 3
Pres. Lincoln	Apr. 13

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia	Mar. 16
Empress Russia	Apr. 6
Empress of Australia	Apr. 21

FOR PORTLAND ORE.

West Orowa	Mar. 18
West Kader	Mar. 19

FOR SEATTLE

Alabama Maru	Apr. 16
President Madison	Mar. 20
President Jackson	Apr. 13

FOR NEW YORK

Knight Templar	Mar. 17
Alaska Maru	Mar. 22
Edenton	Mar. 27
President Adams	Mar. 28
President Garfield	Apr. 10
Keemion	Apr. 17

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

China	Apr. 15
Taishima Maru	Apr. 16
Bellerophon	Mar. 15
Naldera	Mar. 18
Rhexenor	Mar. 19
Kitano Maru	Mar. 22
City of York	Mar. 26
Merlones	Mar. 26
Nellone	Apr. 13
Sarpedon	Apr. 17

FOR HAMBURG

Nienburg	Apr. 14
Atsuta Maru	Apr. 17

FOR COPENHAGEN

Canton	Mar. 23
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FOR BARCELONIA

Legazpi	Mar. 21
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FOR MARSEILLE

Porthos	Mar. 27
Amazon	Apr. 10

FOR INDIA

Tamba Maru	Mar. 20
Misty Law	Mar. 21
Siella	Mar. 24

Provision Prices
In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican
dollar cents at Hongkew Market
compiled on April 15, 1924.

Butcher's Meat

Beef	per lb.	16-20
Mutton	"	18-20
Pork	"	20-40
Veal	"	24-34

Fish

Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	30-50
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	40-50
Salmon	"	25-30
Sauhi	"	\$1.00-\$1.50
Soles	"	20-25
Whitehail	"	18-20

Game Poultry and Eggs

Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
flare	each	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	"	\$1.30-\$1.60
Plover	"	10-12
Pigeons	"	28-30
Quail	"	25-30
Snipe	"	16-18
Teal	"	15-20
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	"	40-50
Duck	"	50-\$1.00
Wild Pigeon	"	none

Fruit

Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	20-25
Bananas	"	8-10
Chestnuts	"	14-16
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	8-10
Oranges	per lb.	20-25
Mangoes	each	15-25
Peaches	"	none
Melons	"	none